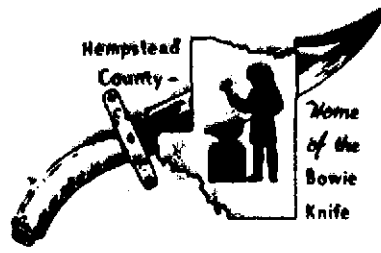


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## Our Daily Bread

Sliced Thin by The Editor  
Alex. H. Washburn  
Sales Tax on Labor  
an Open Invitation  
for a Referendum

Despite many editorial warnings and wide-spread public dissent the General Assembly Wednesday enacted a bill to widen the base of the state's 3 per cent sales tax.

The cold facts are, the legislature eliminated the top bracket of the increase in the state income tax and made up the revenue loss by applying the sales tax to repair services—sparing the rich and levying against the poor.

According to yesterday's wire dispatch from Little Rock the 3 per cent sales tax will be imposed on repair bills for automobiles and trucks, tires, farm machinery, household appliances, furniture, engineering and medical instruments, bicycles, office machines, and shoes.

If ever a bill deserved a petition to give the people a chance to repeal it in a statewide vote this is the one—and at this writing I'd say the probability of a referendum is a strong one.

It isn't a sales tax when you deal with repair work—it's a transaction tax—an outrageous levy against the poor who are forced to repair old articles instead of buying new ones. . . a tax not against things but against labor, the main ingredient in repair work.

There are lobbies to block every kind of tax except the sales tax—therefore it's always the sales tax that the legislature is bludgeoned into raising, in a money pinch.

It's happened again, as so many times in the past—and if a wrathful people demand a popular vote this is one editor who'll accommodate them to the best of his ability.

## Former ABC Director Arrested

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Joe Gaspard, former director of the state Alcoholic Beverage Control Department, surrendered to Pulaski County Sheriff Monroe Love Wednesday after a warrant had been issued for his arrest.

The warrant was based on an indictment returned Friday by the Pulaski County Grand Jury. The indictment against Gaspard and indictments against five others was returned following an investigation of the ABC. The others were arrested earlier this week.

The indictment against Gaspard said that on Aug. 31 and Sept. 20, 1970, the former ABC director unlawfully harbored and protected former agent Charles Daunis by "destroying or authorizing the destruction of certain quantities of hashish and/or marijuana, sold and/or possessed" by Daunis. The indictment said Gaspard destroyed criminal evidence knowing that Daunis had violated a state law by being in possession of, selling and dispersing a narcotic drug.

Daunis, 24, was arrested Monday on a felony charge of possessing a narcotic drug and six misdemeanor charges in connection with violation of state alcoholic beverage laws.

## Will Extend Sessions

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The Arkansas House passed and sent to the Senate Wednesday a resolution that would extend the regular 60-day session of the legislature to March 19. The legislature is scheduled for adjournment March 11.

## Speaker for Dedication

VAN BUREN, Ark. (AP) — Sen. John L. McClellan, D-Ark., will be the principal speaker at a dedication ceremony for the new bridge across the Arkansas River between Fort Smith and Van Buren April 13.

Also attending will be Gov. Dale Bumpers and Rep. John Paul Hammerschmidt, R-Ark.

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BIG ON BEES. Saiyoo Yenghai, a farmer in Thailand, is unfazed by his living beard, formed deliberately by taking bees from a hive. Purpose reportedly was on-upmanship contest with a neighboring beekeeper.

## 200,000 Added Monthly to Welfare Rolls at Cost of \$120 Million Nixon Asks \$2 Billion to Create Jobs

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Nixon sends Congress today a manpower bill reportedly recommending \$2 billion a year in federal revenue sharing funds for job programs to be run primarily by the states.

The bill, part of Nixon's program to share federal money with the states, will include some funds for job training and creation of public service jobs in states and cities. But sources in organized labor said not enough jobs would be created.

The measure is a substitute for one Nixon vetoed late last year. He objected particularly to a provision for creating permanent public service jobs which the White House said would only provide make-work, dead-end jobs.

Sources said Nixon's new bill would avoid putting disadvantaged, unemployed workers into permanent public jobs by including a time limit designed to make such jobs stepping stones to employment in private industry.

The AFL-CIO denounced that proposal, saying it would undercut the federal minimum wage of \$1.60 an hour, shouldn't be limited to welfare recipients and wouldn't create enough jobs in an economy with 6 per cent of the work force unemployed.

## Census Shows Blacks Are Leaving South and Whites Are Moving in

WASHINGTON (AP) — The South showed a migratory population gain in the 1960s for the first time in a century, the Census Bureau says, but the exodus of blacks was not slowed significantly.

Although picking up a net gain of 500,000 persons through migration, the 168 Southern states lost blacks at the rate of 140,000 a year, a bureau report showed Wednesday. This contrasted with earlier Census estimates that heavy migration of blacks from the South during the 1940s and 1950s had been cut to about 88,000 a year.

Secretary of Commerce Maurice H. Stans, in releasing the report, said continued high migration of blacks indicated Negroes were searching for better jobs or higher welfare benefits than offered in the South.

The half-million gain through migration was first since Civil War times for the South, the nation's most heavily populated region.

Most of those moving into the South in the '60s were whites, and most went to Florida, Maryland, Virginia, Texas and Georgia. Most of the blacks leaving the region during the decade

## Cigarette Tax Raised by Senate

By G. C. THELEN Jr.  
Associated Press Writer  
WASHINGTON (AP) — The nation's major welfare program is continuing to record unprecedented increases of more than 200,000 recipients and \$120 million a month, according to the government's latest statistics.

Figures for November 1970, the latest period available, show an additional 282,000 men, women and children enrolled over the previous month in the program of aid to families with dependent children. At this rate the annual increase would be 3.4 million persons.

Based on a per-person cost of \$600-plus, the increase would cost all levels of government an additional \$2.5 billion.

The annual increase in AFDC rolls has accelerated from one million persons two years ago to two million one year ago.

But November's record jump is deceiving, according to officials of the Department of Health, Education and Welfare. They say it includes a transitory, 70,000 addition of striking General Motors workers in Michigan.

Welfare rolls traditionally increase in winter months when outdoor seasonal work is not available, the officials added.

Nevertheless, the three months preceding November each recorded jumps of more than 200,000 recipients and a record 9.4 million were on family welfare rolls in November with an additional 4.1 million persons receiving assistance to the aged, blind and disabled.

When the Senate roll was called Wednesday, only 24 senators voted for the bill, but three senators who had first not cast a vote then joined the vote in favor of the bill to secure its passage. They were Sens. Jim Caldwell of Rogers, Joe T. Ford of Little Rock and Bill Bishop of Harrisburg.

The Senate had defeated the bill 25-7 Monday, but kept the

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## Lamb-like Weather Is Predicted

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
March may have roared in like a lion, but the National Weather Service is predicting more lamb-like weather for the next few days.

Skies will be clear and there will be a warming trend through Saturday as winds pick up from the south and southwest.

Any snow still remaining on the ground after Wednesday, will be gone after today's bright sunshine.

The highs Wednesday ranged from 34 at Harrison to 47 at El Dorado.

Overnight lows were Fayetteville, 14; Harrison, 15; Jonesboro, 19; Pine Bluff, 24; Texarkana, 25; El Dorado, 21; Memphis, 23; Little Rock, 21 and Fort Smith, 19.

No precipitation was recorded during the 24-hour period ending at 6:30 a.m. today.

## Revenue Share \$3.9 Million

WASHINGTON (AP) — Arkansas would receive \$3,967,000 under the special revenue sharing payments proposed Tuesday by President Nixon to combat crime and improve the criminal justice system.

Nixon said the program would cost \$500 million for a full year.

## Rail Dispute Unsettled, Talks Resume

By NEIL GILBRIDE  
Associated Press Writer  
WASHINGTON (AP) — Union negotiators in a nationwide railroad dispute agreed today to resume talks after a brief breakdown. They said no strike was imminent.

"If I had scheduled a strike I wouldn't tell newsmen," said President Charles Luna of the United Transportation Union.

He said negotiators, who had unexpectedly walked out of the Labor Department after 18 hours of nearly continuous, temper-fraying talks, would be back at the bargaining table at 4 p.m.

Both he and Asst. Secretary of Labor W. J. Usery said they were hopeful of a settlement.

Lane quoted Assistant Secretary of Labor W. J. Usery, the government's chief mediator in the 14-month-old dispute as expressing "disappointment" over the breakdown of the talks.

Hodgson, Usery and chairman George Ives of the National Mediation Board huddled privately after the union negotiating team left the talks at the Labor Department.

Provisions of the last strike act Congress passed expired at 12:01 a.m. Monday. The union has been free to strike since then.

Congress is almost certain to step in again if the union decides to strike in an effort to apply pressure in the 14-month-old dispute.

## Convicted 2nd Time at Nashville

NASHVILLE, Ark. (AP) — Carl Wesley Dillahunty was found guilty Wednesday of first-degree murder in connection with the Nov. 4, 1970 shooting death of Jeffrey H. James, 18, of Horatio. A Howard County jury recommended a life sentence.

Dillahunty, 20, was tried on the same charge last December but the case ended in a mistrial when the jury reported an 11-1 deadlock after 2½ days of deliberations.

The case originated in Sevier County, but the defense's request for a change of venue was granted.

## \$20,000 or More Pay for Dept. Heads

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The Legislative Joint Budget Committee proposed Wednesday that most of the department heads under the reorganized state government have salaries of \$20,000 a year or more.

The only exception was the salary for the Labor Department director, which the committee left at \$12,000 annually, the same amount proposed for the job by Gov. Dale Bumpers.

The governor had proposed salaries ranging up to \$25,000 for several positions, but the committee recommended \$24,500 per year for the state Health Department director and smaller sums for all other positions.

Annual salaries of \$20,000 were proposed for the director of the Planning Commission, Industrial Development Department, Parks and Tourism Department, Pollution Control and Ecology Department, Correction Department, Public Safety Department and Commerce Department.

## 4 Americans Kidnaped in Turkey

By NICK LUDDINGTON  
Associated Press Writer

ANKARA, Turkey (AP) — Four American airmen were kidnaped today and terrorists demanded \$400,000 ransom, threatening to "put them before a firing squad" if the money wasn't delivered.

Turkish police said five armed Turks abducted the airmen early today as they patrolled around a U.S. radar base near Ankara. The terrorists forced their military car off the road, tied up the Turkish driver and drove off with the Americans.

The ransom note set a late afternoon deadline.

The Americans were identified as Sgt. Jimmie J. Sexton of San Angelo, Tex., and Airmen I.C. Larry J. Heavner of Denver.

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## Copters Used to Advance Drive in Laos

By GEORGE ESPEY  
Associated Press Writer

SAIGON (AP) — Hundreds of U.S. helicopters advanced South Vietnamese troops six miles deeper into Laos Wednesday and today as other Saigon troops fought off strong North Vietnamese counterattacks.

South Vietnamese field commanders said the advance put Saigon's forces 24½ miles west of the border and half a mile from Sepone, a major North Vietnamese transshipment point on the Ho Chi Minh trail.

It was the first South Vietnamese advance since Feb. 17.

The American helicopters leap-frogged the South Vietnamese over the Saigon and enemy forces strung along Route 9. A South Vietnamese spokesman, Lt. Col. Le Thung Hien, said the advance opened a new front 10 miles on either side of Highway 9 and 21 to 24½ miles from the borders. But he said no contact had been made with the enemy in the new sector.

Troops of the South Vietnamese 1st Infantry Division "are moving west," Hien told newsmen at Quang Tri.

"We are using as much as possible our air mobility. Our troops at the spearhead are broken up into infantry units of battalion size or more."

Massive airlifts continued all day out of Khe Sanh, the U.S. helicopter base near the Laotian border.

The South Vietnamese command claimed more than 400 North Vietnamese troops killed Wednesday night and today.

The fury of the war in Laos was reflected in the weekly casualty summary issued today by the allied commands.

## All Around Town

By The Star Staff

This is Wölyerette Week in Prescott in honor of the girls basketball team that captured the state Class A title last weekend by defeating Alma 70 to 68 in an overtime . . . the meet was held at Greenwood . . . two Prescott girls, Frances Lavender and Brenda Harris were selected all state . . . the team is coached by Mrs. Melba Calhoun Hall, formerly of Hope.

William (Bill) McClendon, general agent for Aetna Life & Casualty at Lewisville, recently attended a four-day seminar for outstanding producers at the Doral Country Club in Florida . . . Bill was among 190 ranking members of the select Leaders Club attending the seminar and he has achieved the designation of Senior Field Underwriter by qualifying for the Seminar for three or more consecutive years.

The first annual Kerr Foundation Fish Farming Conference was held last month at the

## AP News Digest

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
WASHINGTON (AP) — The nation teetered on the verge of a rail strike early today after representatives of the United Transportation Union unexpectedly left talks with railroad negotiators.

SAIGON (AP) — The battle for the Ho Chi Minh trail in southern Laos has heated up again with strong North Vietnamese counterattacks, tank battles and a six-mile advance westward by South Vietnamese forces supported by hundreds of U.S. helicopters.

SAIGON (AP) — Weekly casualty summaries show American combat deaths for last week reaching 69, the highest weekly toll in six months, and South Vietnamese casualties climbing to the highest point since the 1968 Tet offensive.

PARIS (AP) — The chief Communist delegates have boycotted this week's session of the Vietnam peace talks because of the Nixon administration's "acts of war" against North Vietnam.

ANKARA (AP) — Five armed Turks have kidnaped four American airmen who were patrolling in a military vehicle near Ankara, American officials report.

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Nixon sends Congress a manpower bill reportedly recommending \$2 billion a year in federal revenue sharing funds for job programs to be run primarily by the states.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Aviation industry sources say a highly classified Pentagon task force has been formed to develop new, sophisticated weapons to counter Soviet-built SAM anti-aircraft missiles.

President Anwar Sadat will announce Sunday whether Egypt agrees to another extension of the Middle East cease-fire due to expire later that day, Cairo's semi-official newspaper reports.

## Bill Signed Extending Sales Tax

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Gov. Dale Bumpers signed Wednesday a bill that extends the 3 per cent state sales tax to repair services. The bill, which will produce an estimated \$2.5 million, is part of the governor's tax program.

Word of the signing reached the House while the representatives were debating a motion by Rep. Ernest Cunningham of Helena to recall the bill from the Senate, where the measure had been sent for transmittal to the governor's office after House passage Tuesday. The Senate had passed the bill earlier.

Cunningham said the House had acted in haste in approving the bill.

## U.S. Combat Deaths Soar in Indochina

SAIGON (AP) — American combat deaths in Indochina rose last week to the highest total in six months, while South Vietnamese casualties soared to their highest point since the 1968 Tet offensive, the weekly casualty summaries showed today.

The allied commands also claimed that U.S. and South Vietnamese forces killed 5,107 North Vietnamese and Viet Cong last week, the highest enemy toll since the Cambodian campaign last May.

Most of the allied casualties were suffered in the drive in Laos, although some South Vietnamese losses came in the Saigon government's parallel offensive in eastern Cambodia.

The U.S. Command reported 69 Americans killed in action last week, 10 more than the previous week and the highest total since the week of Aug. 30-Sept. 5, when 87 deaths were reported. Many of the losses last week occurred in helicopters shot down while supporting the South Vietnamese forces in Laos.

The command reported 281 Americans wounded in combat last week, compared with 217 the week before.

South Vietnamese headquarters announced 898 of its troops were killed in action and 2,222 were wounded last week, more than double the 432 killed and 1,446 wounded the week before.

## Texarkana Man Shoots at Police

TEXARKANA, Ark. (AP) — A 57-year-old Texarkana man has been charged with discharging firearms in the city limits and destroying private property after holding 25-30 police officers at bay with gunfire for more than an hour Wednesday night. Police were called to the home of Charlie Neal at 8:20 p.m. Wednesday after he allegedly began firing into a quick-service food store next to his house.

There were two employees, two women and a small child in the store. They said they ducked, turned out the lights, locked the door and huddled in the corner as bullets were fired into the store. No one was injured.

The road in front of Neal's house was blocked as police tried to coax him out for more than an hour.

Officers attempted to gain entrance through Neal's front door but were turned back by gunfire. Authorities then lobbed two rounds of tear gas into the home and seized Neal as he came out the back door.

Police said they found a fully loaded gun in the house.

There were boxes of ammunition at each window and some of the windows had been partially covered by plywood, police said.

## Nasser's Death May Not Have Been Natural

TEL AVIV (AP) — Dr. Albert Sabin said today that there is reason to suspect that Egyptian President Gamal Abdel Nasser "did not die a natural death."

Sabin, inventor of the oral polio vaccine, said in a statement: "It may have been caused by a dissident group in the Egyptian armed forces which is impatient with the Russian policy of promising Egypt help in the destruction of Israel, but not doing anything toward this end except by words and armed shipments."

Sabin, now president of Israel's Weizmann Institute of Science, said he based his suspicion on "information transmitted to him by persons connected with a member of the Egyptian armed forces who escaped prior to Nasser's death."

He did not elaborate. Nasser died Sept. 28. Egyptian officials said death was due to a heart attack. He was 52.



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**Red Delegates Boycott Peace Talks**

By MICHAEL GOLDSMITH  
Associated Press Writer

PARIS (AP) — The chief Communist delegates boycotted the weekly session of the Vietnam peace talks today because of the Nixon administration's "acts of war" against North Vietnam. The United States accused them of showing no interest in a settlement.

"Instead of treating the real issues here, you waste everyone's time with maneuvers, polemics and propaganda," U.S. Ambassador David K. E. Bruce declared.

"Instead of recognizing and addressing the question of the illegal presence of North Vietnamese forces in South Vietnam, Cambodia and Laos, you indulge in distortion and even fantasy to support your acts of aggression. Instead of offering genuine negotiating proposals you demand acceptance of your preconditions before you will even consider serious discussions."

"Instead of taking the opportunity these meetings offer to make peace and end the killing, you use them only to justify your continuing to wage war."

**Casey Still Supported by White House**

By JOE HALL  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The White House has reaffirmed in an exchange of letters its support of New York tax lawyer William J. Casey to be chairman of the Securities and Exchange Commission.

It released a letter today by John W. Dean III, counsel to President Nixon, saying the administration is satisfied that an investigation of questions raised about Casey since his nomination showed "no evidence of personal wrongdoing on his part."

The letter was to Sen. John Sparkman, D-Ala., chairman of the Senate Banking Committee, who had asked Nixon for any further information he might have about Casey.

The White House also made public letters to Sparkman from Casey, giving detailed answers to the questions, and from Asst. Atty. Gen. William H. Rehnquist, commenting on legal issues in a 1962 court suit brought against Casey.

Dean wrote: "After reviewing all the information Mr. Casey has presented and the letter from the Department of Justice, it is our considered judgment that Mr. Casey has done nothing which in any way diminishes his extraordinary qualifications for the position of chairman of the Securities and Exchange Commission."

"It is sincerely hoped that the Committee concurs with this conclusion and that this matter may be expeditiously resolved to that Mr. Casey can embark upon the important task for which he has been nominated."

The Senate panel tentatively approved Casey Feb. 10 but will reopen its hearings next Tuesday in light of questions raised by Sen. William Proxmire, D-Wis.

One of new issues involves a 1962 civil suit filed in a New York federal court alleging Casey violated the Securities Act by helping to sell unregistered stock in a small company of which he was principal owner. This law is enforced by SEC.

Dean conceded the White House did not know of this case when Casey was nominated.

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**Obituaries**

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (AP) — Vice Adm. Henry Crommelin, 66, a much-decorated veteran of World War II, died Tuesday. Crommelin received the Silver Star and seven other medals and awards, primarily for service in the Pacific.

CHICAGO (AP) — Warren C. Jyrch, 50, the first hemophiliac to survive open-heart surgery, died Tuesday of a cerebral hemorrhage. Doctors said the stroke "bore no relation to his hemophilia condition" or the surgery, and they still considered the operation last December a success.

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ver, Colo., Richard Crazzi of Stamford, Conn., and James M. Ghulson of Alexandria, Va.

American officials said Sexton's wife is in Ankara. Heaven's is in Denver and the other two men are single.

The ransom note was delivered to the semi-official Anatolian News Agency, which reported that three youths came to the agency office and gave the receptionist Ghulson's identity card and a statement.

The statement was from a group calling itself the Turkish People's Liberation Army. The group demanded the message be read on radio and published by the news agency. It called on Turks to revolt against the country's conservative government and its membership in the North Atlantic Treaty Organization.

Turkish police said they arrested one youth "near the Russian Embassy" in connection with the kidnapping. They gave no other details.

U.S. Ambassador William Handley said he was "deeply concerned" and was in touch with the Foreign Ministry and security officials.

An embassy official said no decision had been made on the ransom. He said the statement did not give instructions on how, where or to whom the money should be delivered.

It was the second kidnapping of American servicemen in Ankara this year.

On Feb. 15 a group of Turks invaded an American base on the outskirts of the city and kidnapped an American airman who was on guard duty. He was released unharmed 17 hours later.

The kidnapers' primary purpose then was either sabotage or theft, informed sources said later, and they only abducted Sgt. Jimmy Ray Finley, 24, of Fort Worth, Tex., because he ran into them.

Officials blame leftist extremists for a wave of terrorist attacks on the U.S. military in Turkey.

**2 Amendments Approved in Committee**

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The Arkansas House Wednesday approved two proposed constitutional amendments—one to lower the voting age in state and local elections to 18 and the other to rewrite the legislative article of the 1874 state Constitution.

Senate approves the two proposals, they will be submitted to the electorate in the 1972 general election. The legislature may submit up to three proposed amendments in each general election.

Pending in the Senate is a proposed constitutional amendment that would establish four-year terms for constitutional officers.

The constitutional amendments committees of both houses had agreed to seek joint Senate and House approval of the three, making its choice from a list of eight proposed amendments that had been introduced in the legislature.

The legislative article proposal, sponsored by Reps. Calvin R. Ledbetter Jr. of Little Rock and Roscoe Brown of Jonesboro, would permit the legislature to establish the salary of its members on the condition that two successive regular sessions of the General Assembly must approve the salary figure. The proposal also would provide for single-member legislative districts and would allow annual sessions of the legislature if they are needed.

The proposed amendment would require the approval of 60 per cent of members of each house in order to pass a new tax or to increase an existing tax. Currently some taxes may be enacted by a simple majority and others need a three-fourths majority for approval.



**LADY AND THE SOLDIER** get together at Sapporo, Japan, where troops of Japan's defense forces carve a huge replica of an ancient goddess out of snow and ice during a traditional winter festival. Sapporo, on Japan's northern island of Hokkaido, will be the site of the 1972 Olympic Winter Games.

**Foes of Sales Tax Hike Are Heard**

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Opponents of an increase in the sales tax renewed their argument Wednesday night that the tax would place the greatest burden on the poor and middle income groups.

Supporters of raising the sales tax, however, claimed that an increase in the 3 per cent tax was the only means by which the state could adequately fund public education and meet other state needs.

They spoke at a joint public hearing held by the Revenue and Taxation Committees of the Arkansas House and Senate on one bill to increase the sales tax by a half per cent and another to raise the tax by a full per cent.

About 200 persons, more than half of them teachers who support the tax increase, attended the hearing at Little Rock Central High School.

J. Bill Becker, president of the Arkansas AFL-CIO, said studies had shown that Arkansas over-emphasized consumer-oriented taxes that hit lower income groups hardest.

Becker said the average wage in Arkansas was \$100 a week, but that teachers, if they work 36 weeks a year, average \$179 a week. On a full year's basis, he said, the average teacher salary is \$124 a week. He said education and the teachers, who are pushing a sales tax increase to raise their salaries, had a good cause "but we feel a bad solution."

Hubert Blanchard of the Arkansas Education Association, told the committees that Gov. Dale Bumpers' \$27.3 million tax program did not meet the urgent needs of education or the state. He said the sales tax was the only tax source left that could fund the needs.

Bumpers has proposed increasing teacher salaries by \$900 in the coming biennium, but Blanchard said the governor was not fulfilling his commitment to raise teacher salaries to the average of surrounding states, which he said was \$1,102 higher than the Arkansas average of \$6,459.

Blanchard said the trend in other states was to rely more, not less, on the sales tax as a source of revenue.

Arnold Berner of the Arkansas Farm Bureau Federation told the committees that the federation supported the half-per cent increase in the sales tax provided that a "high percentage" of the estimated \$20 million in new revenues it would generate went to education.

Les Gibbs, an unsuccessful candidate for the Republican nomination for governor last year and a former Revenue Department employee, said he was opposed to a sales tax increase until he said the state collected \$50 million in taxes that he said was delinquent.

Rep. B. D. "Doug" Brandon of Little Rock, chairman of the House committee, disputed Gibbs' claim, saying that there was less than \$2 million in uncollected taxes.

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**Weather**

Experiment Station report for 24-hours ending at 7 a.m. Thursday, High 45, Low 20. Forecast

**Weather Elsewhere**

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Albany, snow	29	22	.97
Albuquerque, clear	42	20	..
Bismarck, cloudy	32	14	..
Boise, cloudy	53	32	..
Boston, rain	35	30	1.23
Buffalo, snow	25	19	.61
Charlotte, clear	51	28	.26
Chicago, clear	29	18	..
Cincinnati, clear	35	18	.18
Denver, clear	54	27	..
Des Moines, cloudy	31	18	..
Detroit, clear	27	14	..
Fairbanks, snow	M	M	..
Fort Worth, clear	43	25	..
Helena, clear	39	23	..
Honolulu, clear	81	71	..
Indianapolis, clear	29	17	..
Jacksonville, clear	82	35	.14
Juneau, snow	33	24	.40
Kansas City, clear	36	25	..
Los Angeles, clear	75	49	..
Louisville, cloudy	34	23	.24
Memphis, clear	35	23	.06
Miami, clear	87	50	..
Milwaukee, clear	24	14	..
Mpls.-St.P., clear	27	11	..
New Orleans, clear	69	35	..
New York, snow	39	33	.85
Okla. City, clear	40	27	..
Omaha, cloudy	27	21	..
Philadelphia, snow	41	29	.98
Phoenix, clear	68	37	..
Pittsburgh, snow	29	17	.71
Ptld, Me., clear	30	26	.44
Ptld, Ore., rain	45	35	.10
Rapid City, clear	47	28	..
Richmond, cloudy	43	30	T
St. Louis, clear	31	15	..
Salt Lk. City, cloudy	47	25	..
San Diego, clear	65	47	..
San Fran., cloudy	56	47	..
Seattle, rain	41	33	.13
Tampa, clear	63	48	.25
Washington, clear	M	M	M
Winnipeg, clear	33	19	..

**Would Make Some on Welfare Work**

By BILL STALL  
Associated Press Writer

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP) — Gov. Ronald Reagan opened a grass roots campaign today for support of a plan to cut state welfare costs by \$740 million.

Reagan unveiled the 70-point plan Wednesday and offered it to governors of the other 49 states as a model for the nation. He scheduled trips to Fresno and San Francisco today to enlist support for his effort to push it through the Democratic-controlled legislature.

The Republican governor's plan, administration officials said, would cut 300,000 cases from 1971-72 family relief rolls with more rigid eligibility requirements.

While Californians should "increase our assistance to the truly needy who have nowhere else to turn to meet their basic needs," Reagan said the plan would call for:

—Forcing employable welfare recipients to find community service jobs, with government providing maintenance work and paying them to clean up after such disasters as earthquakes, fires and floods.

—Tracking down 250,000 fathers who have deserted families.

—Assumptions by the federal government of welfare costs for aliens.

—Reorganizing the eligibility system for recipients of Medi-Cal, the state arm of Medicare, so that more patients would qualify under federally shared financing.

—Placing liens against any welfare recipient's home that is worth \$20,000 or more.

Some of Reagan's critics favor a total federal takeover of welfare operations. But he said, "This would mean surrendering to those who caused the mess in the first place."

The governor has been an opponent of President Nixon's family assistance plan of welfare reform which is now bogged down in Congress.

**Apple Blossom Queen Picked**

WINCHESTER, Va. (AP) — Astronaut Alan B. Shepard's daughter Juliana has been named Queen Shenandoah 44th and will reign at the annual Shenandoah Valley Apple Blossom Festival May 7-8.

**Russia Sends Helicopters to Egypt**

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Soviet Union recently gave Egypt more helicopters capable of carrying troops on dashes into Israeli territory, U.S. intelligence sources say.

The new deliveries, reportedly within the last month, were disclosed with Sunday's expiration of the Egyptian-Israeli cease-fire drawing closer.

Three Soviet ships unloaded modern MI-8 transport helicopters in Egypt, the sources said, enhancing the Egyptians' ability to land raiding parties behind Israel's front lines.

The Egyptians now own an estimated 133 Russian-made helicopters of various types, nearly double the number they had last fall, the sources said.

Each of the turbine-powered MI-8s can carry 28 soldiers and can be stripped of seats and used to carry military equipment as an air ambulance.

It flies at a 140 mile-an-hour maximum cruising speed, with a range of more than 220 miles. Since the first of the year, the Russians also have shipped to Egypt additional MIG and SU-7 jetfighters.

According to recent estimates, the Egyptians now have 128 MIG-21s, including the latest models, as well as about 150 other MIG jets, about 50 bombers and 97 SU-7s. The latter are used chiefly for close support of ground troops.

The Egyptian air force has about a 4-3 advantage in combat planes over the Israelis, U.S. sources estimate.

The seven-month cease-fire has given the Egyptian air force an opportunity to regain its confidence after losing 110 planes to the Israelis.

American sources who provided this Egyptian loss estimate say the Israelis lost 27 jets in combat before the truce began in early August.

The United States has pledged to maintain an arms balance between the Arabs and Israelis, while prodding the Middle East opponents toward a negotiated stalemate.

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**Reflections on How to Tell If You Are Really a Born Loser**

By HAL BOYLE

NEW YORK (AP) — "Dear Poor Man's Philosopher:

"All my life everything I've tried to do has turned out wrong. My whole story is one of failure after failure after failure. I'm willing to take the blame for this, but my friends say it isn't my fault because I'm just a born loser."

"That would make me feel better if it were true. Tell me, how can I be sure whether or not I'm a born loser?"

Jeb Duncie"

Dear Mr. Duncie:

Well, sometimes it isn't easy to tell whether a human trait or characteristic is innate or acquired. Often one can be a mixture.

The probability is high that you are a born loser, however, if—

You've made not one but two down payments toward the purchase of the Brooklyn Bridge.

If you cast your bread on the waters, it doesn't come back. It just gets soggy and sinks.

You're the only guy in town who can't join the Elks—or even get in on a guest card.

If you inherited a million dollars, it would turn out to be

**\$750 Jaycee Scholarship Announced**

The Arkansas Jaycees today announced they will sponsor a statewide essay contest for male high school seniors with the winner receiving the United States Jaycee War Memorial Fund Scholarship of \$750.00 to the college of the students choice.

Earl Glover of Little Rock, State Project Co-Ordinator, said all male high school seniors planning to further their education are eligible to enter the competition. He said the winner will be selected on the basis of a one-thousand word or less essay on one line of the Jaycee Creed.

Glover said the students may obtain their entry blanks from their high school counselors or by writing 2424 Blackwood Road, Little Rock, Arkansas 72207.

Glover said the deadline for entries will be April 30, 1971 with the winner to be announced on May 15th.

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## Calendar of Events

### Thursday, March 4

Chapter 328, Order of the Eastern Star, will have a regular meeting Thursday, March 4 at 7:30 p.m. in the Masonic Hall.

### Friday, March 5

The Fidels Class of First United Methodist Church will have a dinner in the Fellowship Hall at the Church at 7 p.m. on Friday, March 5. All members and associate members are urged to attend.

The Elementry Art Show, which is sponsored by the Junior Auxiliary, will be held at the Douglas Building, Friday and Saturday, March 5 and 6, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The Rose Garden Club will meet Friday, March 5 at 1:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Herbert Dodson for a Pilgrimage to Washington, where a business meeting will be held and refreshments served at the Old Tavern.

### Monday, March 8

Circles of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the First United Methodist Church will meet on Monday, March 8th as follows:

Circle 1 - 2:00 p.m. - In the home of Mrs. Albert Graves.

Circle 2 - 3:00 p.m. - In the home of Mrs. Arch Wylie with Mrs. Jimmy Weathersby as co-hostess.

Circle 3 - 2:00 p.m. - In the home of Mrs. Bob Turner with Mrs. J. W. Turner co-hostess.

Circle 5 - 7:30 p.m. - In the home of Mrs. Calvin Smith with Mrs. Herman Wilson as co-hostess.

Guild No. 1 - 7:30 p.m. - In the home of Mrs. P. H. Webb.

### Tuesday, March 9

Chapter A.E.P.E.O., will meet at 2 p.m. Tuesday, March 9 in the home of Mrs. Jim McKenzie with Mrs. H.O. Kyler, co-hostess.

### Wednesday, March 10

The Hope Lilac Garden Club will meet at 12:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 10 in Blevins at the home of Mrs. P.C. Stephens. Co-hostesses: Mrs. N.P. Nesbitt, Mrs. Lella Jordan, Mrs. W.D. Cohea, Mrs. Rex Taylor. Members are asked to bring bulbs and plants to sell within the club.

The John Cain Chapter of the DAR will meet Wednesday, March 10 at 12 noon in the Town and Country. Hostesses: Mrs. Charles Taylor, Mrs. Pillow Johnson and Mrs. Floyd Monzingo.

### Discusses Political Philosophy

"Democratic versus Republican Philosophy" was the program Mrs. Jim Pruden presented to the Hempstead County Republican Women's Club when it met Monday, March 1 in the home of the president, Mrs. Carter Russell.

In summary, Mrs. Pruden described the two major political parties in this way, "The Democratic Party advocates the general welfare of people through federal programs with great executive power; the Republican Party promotes the restraint of government with balance among the three branches and greater freedom of states as dictated by the Constitution."

A business session was conducted by the president, and the club voted to contribute \$100 to the Winthrop Rockefeller Scholarship Fund to establish a scholarship in political science at the U of A.

Fresh peaches over cake, nuts and beverages were served by the hostess.

### Delta Kappa Gamma Meets

Japonica and jonquils were seen in the home of Mrs. Ruth Hanagan on Tuesday, March 2 when the Alpha Delta Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma met there. Co-hostesses were Mrs. Mary Nell Turner and Mrs. Belle Klipsch.

The Rev. Jerry Westmoreland discussed "The Moral Values in Our Culture Today" and cited several examples of our "new freedom". At the conclusion of his prepared remarks, a question and answer period was held with all the members taking part.

In the absence of the president, the vice-president, Mrs. Bobbie Brown, had charge of the meeting. The business was routine with one exception. The next meeting was changed to March 30 because of the Easter holidays.

During the refreshment hour a salad plate and spiced tea were served.

## Celebrates Birthday



**TALBOT FEILD, SR.**  
Talbot Feild, Sr. of Texarkana is shown celebrating his 91st birthday February 17 at his home. His twin brother Terry, observed the event in a nursing home at Little Rock. In the past the twins celebrated their birthdays by riding old fashioned high wheel bikes.



## HELEN HELP US!

by Helen Bottel

### YOUTH ASKED FOR IT!

This column is for young people, their problems and pleasures, their troubles and fun. As with the rest of Helen Help Us!, it welcomes laughs but won't dodge a serious question with a brush-off.

Send your teenage questions to YOUTH ASKED for it, care of Helen Help Us! this newspaper.

### WHEN ADULTS TAKE YOUTH'S WORDS, THEY'RE "RIPPED"

Dear Helen:

I'm about to throw up! I mean kids don't take over adult slang like "lush" or "beautiful people" (BP) or "raunchy." So why do the elders take our good words and kill them in advertising campaigns and sales come-ons?

About the only decent word we've got left is "ripped" and some hot shot promoter will get that up on a billboard next!

I read the other day that a fashion consultant advised sales people to "Use words like 'all together,' 'hang loose,' 'play it cool' and 'rap,' as they are very important." Well, about the second time I hear a clerk telling me I've "got it all together," or I look "groovy" or "outasite" in a dress I'm trying on, I'll split. Those are (or were) MY generation's things.

The other day I even heard a friend's mother say she had a "zit." Really! They'll be bragging about "hickies" next. If they can get men on the moon, Helen, why can't they make up their own slang?

It's no wonder we go to the heavy four-letter words. Most of our parents are still too chicken to say "em.—VICTIM OF THEFT"

Dear Victim:

You're so right. (Notice I avoided "Right on!"—all great expressions once but dying of "Popularity.") I think the only slang phrase that may outlast the race-rebellion-and-drug scene is "hangup." That one has staying power!

... And a cliché that curdles my soul, V.T., is "If they can get a man on the moon, why can't they...?" You stole one of OUR oldies and gone-baddies there, chum.—H.

This is a letter from a girl who learned the hard way.

Right after high school my girl friend and I found we both were pregnant. After the shock and fright wore off, we discussed our problem with professional advisors and decided that, because we were so young, we would give the babies up for adoption, not get married.

The other boy and girl are doing just that: going to college,

getting good marks, working part time—making something of their lives. I loused it up because as time progressed, I insisted on keeping the baby and held out for marriage.

My husband quit school, took whatever work he could get. He was always nice, but quiet, and definitely unhappy. He is a swell guy whose life is now at a standstill.

Most folks didn't even know about my girl friend, but people actually pointed out my baby, remarking that the issuance of my marriage license was mentioned in the paper one week and his birth announcement in the next.

I can't help but feel that my son would have been better off with a couple that really wanted him, but it's too late now. A mutual-agreement divorce is in process. I'll be living with my widowed mother who isn't really able to assume the extra burden of a daughter and grandson.

I'm not asking for advice. I just want to tell other girls: Stay away from temptation, and for heaven's sake, if you DO have a problem, take the good counseling that is offered! —STUPID

Dear Helen:

John and I were really getting to know each other, and then my English teacher went and moved me across the room. How can you fall in love, when you're separated like that and there's no other time at school to even talk, besides which he goes home on the early bus and lives a long way from me? And I can't talk long on the telephone.

What's the matter with teachers. Are they anti-love?—TORN APART

Dear Torn:

Mainly, teachers are pro-studying. Can't you get together at lunch time?—H.

### Coming, Going

Orville Watson, Lafayette, La., was the overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. J.O. Watson on Wednesday.

En route to Houston, Miss Jean Laseter, Hot Springs, is spending a few days in Hope with friends and relatives.

### Prince Made a Freeman

LONDON (AP) — Prince Charles, 22-year-old heir to the British throne, has been made a freeman of the City of London, financial and commercial center of the nation.

To achieve the perfect resonance of a fine violin, wood of the silver fir of Europe is used for the top and European sycamore for the back.

### Births

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Arnold of Lake Village announce the arrival of a baby boy on March 2. He has been named Jon Richard. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Richard Arnold, Hope and Mr. and Mrs. John Harrison of Prescott.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen "Sonny" Williams became the parents of a 5½ pound son on March 2 at Wadley Hospital in Texarkana. He has been named Charles Dudley. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Glen Williams on the Lewisville Road.

### Coming, Going

Mr. and Mrs. D.B. Russell and Mr. and Mrs. David Adams, all of Dallas, visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harrell and Mrs. Lois Russell last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Byron Arnold and Nan Arnold of Hope and Mr. and Mrs. John Harrison of Prescott have returned from Greenville, Miss. where they went to meet their new grandson and nephew, Jon Richard Arnold.

Col. (R.) and Mrs. Frank C. Malone of Austin will arrive Friday for a weekend visit with Mrs. Allie Malone and Mrs. Claudia Hutson.

## Scouts Told Value of Fingerprints

On February 11 and 18, Boy Scout Troop 92 of the Presbyterian Church worked with Deputy Sheriff Howard Milam learning proper fingerprinting procedures. Mr. Milam explained to the boys the importance of fingerprints and showed each boy how to do his own. According to Scoutmaster Harold Sisson the following boys will receive their fingerprinting merit badge on March 4: Larry and Paul Patton, Tim Arnold, Ricky Sisson, Bobby Barger, Glenn Cochran, Ricky Adkins, Ted Tolleson, David Upchurch, Mike Davis, Jim Sturtart, Corby Wiggins, Paul Willis, Greg Impson, Edward Morgan, John Walker, and Donnie Dougan. The boys were much impressed by the information Mr. Milam gave them.

Mr. VanHorn received the following boys into his Webelos Den: David Lockard, Taylor King, Johnnie Lee Turner, John Aaron Scott and Anthony Hines. Homer Robinson was received as a new Bobcat by Den 1.

Den chief lanyards went to Bobbie Barger and Larry Patton. Mark Moore received a 1 year pin, 2 year pins went to David Lockard, Taylor King, Scott Patton and Den Chief Paul Patton. Den Chief Larry Patton received a 3 year pin. Taylor King received his Bear badge with a gold and silver arrow. Perfect attendance pins went to

## Pack 92 Holds Blue, Gold Banquet

On Thursday, February 25, Cub Scout Pack 92 held its annual Blue and Gold banquet at Brookwood school cafeteria. The decor was blue and gold with touches of red, white and blue emphasizing the theme—Our American Heritage. Displays ranged from a miniature handmade log cabin in an appropriate setting to posters concerned with preserving our American heritage by saving our American Resources (SOAR). Of particular interest was a copy of a civil war discharge belonging to the great great grandfather of Scott Patton. Congressman John Paul Hammerschmidt had sent the boys copies of a booklet concerned with great American documents and a tour guide of Washington.

The opening was conducted by Webelos leader Richard VanHorn assisted by Joe VanHorn who read an acoustic on Americanism in which every boy in the pack participated. The invocation led by Cubmaster Don Hughes preceded a delicious pot luck supper with meat donated by Don King of Kroger Company and drinks supplied by Hope Beverage. Committeeman Don Cofield led the approximately 50 people in attendance in the singing of America. Scout Master Harold Sisson told the boys how important Cub Scouting and Webelos was to future Boy Scouts assisted by Ricky Sisson, Paul Patton and Larry Patton who told the boys what Scouting meant to them personally. The program consisted of slides of a Scout Jam-boree in Vietnam and a trip to England.

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Scott Patton and Den Chiefs Larry and Paul Patton. Denner Bars went to David Allen and Scott Patton with Assistant Denner bars going to Joe VanHorn and Mark Moore.

The closing ceremony was conducted by Cubmaster Hughes with Cubber David Allen reading Edgar A. Guest's "A Creed".

## Television and Radio

By CYNTHIA LOWRY

AP Television-Radio Writer NEW YORK (AP) — Two dozen television series, probably more, are facing extinction as the three major networks start selling next season's tentative programs to sponsors.

Some programs doing well in Nielsen ratings are among those threatened. One is "The Men from Shiloh," which several seasons back as "The Virginian" started the TV trend toward 90-minute episodes. Its problem now is its length—it would eat up half of one evening's network time, soon to be cut to three hours.

While it does go on and on, "The Men from Shiloh" is a standard Western that rarely cheats on plot or action. Wednesday night's episode was typical of the series. Col. MacKenzie—Stewart Granger—the owner of Shiloh ranch, recognized a U.S. cavalry sergeant as a British officer who he believed died in India 10 years before in a massacre that took the life of the colonel's younger brother.

The sergeant, a bad one, took off once he was recognized, with the colonel galloping in pursuit. Meanwhile, a bunch of nasty Indians were on the warpath, scalping settlers along their way. Of course, Indians and Britishers got together for the climactic shootout.

It is all fantasy. Only in televisionland could the colonel and the sergeant stand in a barricaded shack philosophically discussing the quality of bravery while Indians with flaming arrows and guns slinked on all four sides.

Johnny Cash, who in recent weeks has been attempting to turn his weekly variety show into a series of themed specials, arrived on ABC this week with some circus acts.

The hour was taped in Las Vegas, focusing on the usual high wire and trapeze artists, the chimp and dog acts, and of course, the clowns. Cash ap-

peared between the acts, surrounded by children, sang a song and introduced the next performers.

Circus shows are always popular, so this one—pleasant but not unusual—may help boost the singer's ratings which, despite his popularity in other areas, remain at a disappointing level.

CBS's "Hawaii Five-O," certain to return next season, started a two-part murder mystery Wednesday. The central figure is a mentally retarded son of a professional ball player. The boy, well played by Elliot Street, is witness to the murder of a woman in the ball park. In the first episode the conflict was between the investigating police and the father's protective attitude. In the second, it probably will be the murderer's effort to get rid of the boy.

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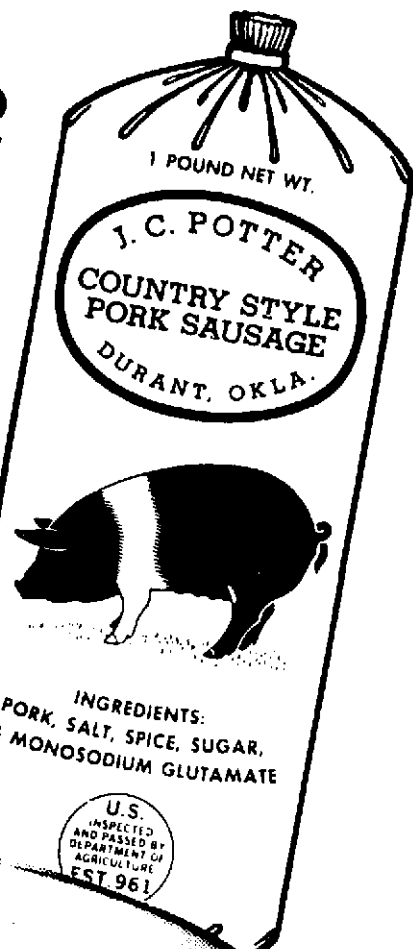
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# Hope Star

# SPORTS

## Cage Season All Over for Bobcats

By BILL MOORE  
Star Sports Writer

It's all over for the Hope Bobcats this year.

Unable to put together a second half rally along with many turnovers, the Bobcats fell victim to the Arkadelphia Badgers last night, 55-41, in their first district tournament game.

After getting off to a fine early season start, including district play, the Cats end up with a 14-12 season record, still one of the better records for a Hope team in a few years.

Getting the ball first, Lynn Norton quickly put Hope on the board, but Arkadelphia regained the lead, until John Dudley hit three points with 5:33 left in the first period, for a 5-4, Hope lead. Again falling behind, Hope finished out the first period scoring with Dudley getting three points, the last two on a backwards bank shot with 32 seconds left to pull the Cats to within one, entering the second period, 12-11.

With neither team heading more than a three point lead and the score tied twice, the Badgers led at halftime, 23-21.

Hope stayed close in the second period on the shooting of Parker Powell and Dudley, while Bill Vining paced the Badgers. Proceeding after intermission, Hope took the tipoff and quickly tied the score on a jumpshot by Norton, but six straight points by Vining put Arkadelphia in a 29-23 lead, and the score wasn't to be knotted again.

Goals by Dudley and Powell pulled the Cats to within two with 4:41 left, but Mike Harris found the range and combining with Vining and John Holbrook, Arkadelphia kept their lead as the quarter ended with the Bobcats trailing, 39-35, after Powell and Charles Frazier each hit a layup.

Outscored 16-6 in the final frame, Hope was thus eliminated from the tournament.

Staying close early on points by Powell and Norton, the Cats began to fall farther behind, after Vining hit two Badger points with a little over four minutes to play.

Two charity shots by Dudley with 2:07 left in the game, were the last Bobcat points scored in the game and the season, as Arkadelphia hit seven more points to seal it up.

Powell led Hope's scoring with 15 points, followed by Dudley with 14, and Norton with 10. Vining led the Badgers with 21 points.

**Ouachita in Defense of State Title**

LITTLE ROCK (AP)—Ouachita successfully opened defense of its state title with a 55-54 victory over Clarendon Wednesday in first-round action of the Class A senior boys state basketball tournament in Little Rock.

Ouachita built up a 47-32 lead at the end of three quarters, but a full-court press by Clarendon cut the lead to just one point with 11 seconds left in the game. The Lions, however, could not score again and Ouachita had the victory.

In other Class A action Wednesday, Green Forest nipped Osceola Rosenwald 73-68 in overtime, Taylor rolled over Valley View 78-62 and Salem defeated Humnoke 42-36.

The Green Forest Tigers outscored Rosenwald 8-1 in an overtime period to nail down the victory. The Tigers had trailed by as much as eight points before coming back in

## Fights

Wednesday's Fights  
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
LAS VEGAS, Nev.—Ernie Shavers, 205, Warren, Ohio, stopped Steve Carter, 199, San Francisco, 1.

## Bad Shot Puts Player in Doral Meet

By BOB GREEN  
Associated Press Golf Writer  
MIAMI (AP) — If it weren't for one bad shot last week, Gary Player might not be playing in the first round of the \$150,000 Doral-Eastern Open Golf Tournament today.

"If I'd won the PGA, I'd planned on going home for at least a few weeks," the muscular little South African said. "Now, I plan to play through the Masters before returning."

That would be a seven-week stretch, about as much as Player now cares to be away from his family, home and ranch near Johannesburg.

Should he win between now and then—there's an excellent chance he will; in fact, he's one of the leading favorites for the \$30,000 first prize here—he may stay over for an extra two weeks to play in the Tournament of Champions at Rancho La Costa, Calif.

He's played there the last two years and won in 1969.

But Player, 34, now works only a limited number of tournaments in this country, usually on two trips. And, he says, it has nothing to do with racial tensions over his country's apartheid policy.

"I just get homesick," said Player, who last week became only the sixth player in history to win over \$700,000 on the American tour.

"That was my thinking last week. If I'd won the PGA, a major title, in my first start I would be justified in going home for a time."

He doesn't usually come to this country this early, but changed his schedule when the dates of the PGA were shifted.

"That's what people will remember you for," he said. "How many major championships you win. I'd rather win one of the four major titles than 25 other tournaments," said Player, one of four men ever to sweep the U.S. and British Opens, the Masters and PGA crowns.

He finished fourth in the PGA. But it was close. Player closed to within a stroke of eventual winner Jack Nicklaus at one point of the final round at Palm Beach Gardens. But he shot himself out of it when he knocked one out of bounds and took a double bogey six on the 15th hole.

It was a remarkably good start for Player, who often has his difficulties immediately after coming to this country, and stamped him one of the top choices in the tough field here.

"You always like to think you can win, laddie," he said. "I'm playing well, very well. Possibly as good as I'm capable of playing."

Opposing him is one of the strongest fields of the year, headed by Arnold Palmer, Nicklaus, two-time winner Tom Shaw, U.S. Open champion Tony Jacklin of England, defending title-holder Mike Hill and 55 of the top 60 money winners from last year.

The last quarter to tie the game 65-all at the end of regulation play.

Steve Stroud scored 14 points to lead Salem over Humnoke in a defensive battle.

Salem led 24-22 at the half and 30-27 after three quarters. William Hurt sank three free throws in the final two minutes to ice the game for Salem.

## Carlton Is Looking Good for Cards

Steve Carlton was a 19-game loser for the St. Louis Cardinals in the National League last year. He won't be this season if his work in spring training is any criterion.

The 26-year-old southpaw pitched two strong innings in an intrasquad game Wednesday, sharpening his curve and changeup.

Carlton is scheduled to start against the New York Mets Saturday in the Cardinals' first exhibition game. The opening exhibition games are scheduled Friday and, in one of them, the New York Yankees play Washington at Pompano Beach.

Denny McLain, who may start for the Senators against the Yankees, impressed with a three-inning string in an intrasquad game Wednesday. He fanned the side in the first inning, but yielded a run in the third on a walk and a triple by Ed Stroud.

Donn Clendenon came up with three hits in three at bats in a Mets squad game in which Tom Seaver pitched two innings allowing two hits and striking out two.

A Cincinnati rookie, Kurt Bevacqua, was the star of the Reds' first squad game. He drove in five runs, two on a home run.

Veteran Tommy Davis also belted a home run and added a two-bagger in the Oakland A's squad game. Joe Pepitone and rookie Garry Jesteadt hit for the circuit in the Chicago Cubs squad game. So did Rich Chiles, Larry Howard, Cesar Cordero and Cliff Johnson in the Houston squad game.

In off the field activity, Boog Powell, star slugger for the Baltimore Orioles, signed for an estimated \$90,000, outfielder Vada Pinson signed with Cleveland for an estimated \$61,500 and reliever Pete Mikkelsen signed with Los Angeles for \$32,500.

In addition to the Yankees-Washington game, other opening exhibition games Friday include Pittsburgh vs. Chicago White Sox, Montreal vs. Atlanta, San Francisco vs. Chicago Cubs, San Diego vs. Oakland and Boston vs. Houston.

## NBA Appeals Haywood Case Ruling

CHICAGO (AP) — The National Basketball Association has filed an appeal in the Spencer Haywood case.

This was disclosed Wednesday in a NBA meeting here. The league said it was appealing the ruling Monday by United States Supreme Court Justice William C. Douglas enabling the controversial Haywood to resume play for the Seattle Supersonics.

## Injury to West Like a Nightmare

LOS ANGELES (AP) — For the Los Angeles Lakers and Jerry West it was like a recurring nightmare:

A fight for the loose basketball, the tangle of bodies, the fragile-looking figure wearing No. 44 lying on the floor. He rolled in agony.

That was Tuesday night in Buffalo but injuries are an old story for West. In his 11-year pro career he has broken his nose nine times and suffered enough pulled muscles to give Laker fans an extended course in the physiology of the leg.

He fractured a hand knocking him out of the playoffs in 1967. Most of the time, he's playing again within a few days or weeks. This time, he'll be in a leg cast for at least six weeks recovering from surgery Wednesday night to mend a torn medial collateral ligament on the inside of his right knee.

Though West was reported in excellent condition, doctors at Centinela Valley Hospital said the operation could not be pronounced successful until he could test the leg, at least three months from now.

That's nearly two months too late for the Lakers, who will begin the National Basketball Association playoffs in three weeks as champions of the Pacific Division. The playoffs last about a month and without their all-pro guard, the Lakers are likely to be eliminated.

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Eastern Conference				
Atlantic Division				
	W. L.	Pct.	G.B.	
New York	47	26	.644	—
Philadel.	42	32	.568	5½
Boston	39	34	.534	8
Buffalo	19	54	.260	28
Central Division				
Baltimore	38	33	.535	—
Atlanta	29	44	.397	10
Cincinnati	27	45	.375	11½
Cleveland	12	60	.167	28½

Western Conference				
Midwest Division				
c-Milw.	62	11	.849	—
Chicago	44	26	.621	16½
Phoenix	44	27	.620	17
Detroit	42	28	.600	18½
Pacific Division				
Los Angeles	45	27	.625	—
San Fran.	36	37	.493	9½
San Diego	33	40	.452	12½
Seattle	31	40	.437	13½
Portland	23	49	.319	22

c-Cinched Division title

**Wednesday's Results**  
Philadelphia 120, Portland 104  
Cincinnati 133, Baltimore 132, OT

Boston 128, San Diego 113  
Milwaukee 112, Los Angeles 97  
Phoenix 115, Chicago 90  
Atlanta 109, San Fran. 105

**Only games scheduled**  
**Thursday's Games**  
Buffalo at Milwaukee  
Only game scheduled  
**Friday's Games**  
Milwaukee at Detroit  
New York at Philadelphia  
Atlanta at Los Angeles  
Chicago vs. San Francisco at San Diego  
Seattle at San Diego  
Portland vs. Cincinnati at Omaha  
Only games scheduled

ABA				
East Division				
	W. L.	Pct.	G.B.	
Virginia	46	24	.657	—
Kentucky	38	32	.543	8
New York	33	36	.478	12½
Pittsburgh	31	40	.437	15½
Floridians	30	41	.423	16½
Carolina	29	40	.421	16½
West Division				
Utah	48	20	.706	—
Indiana	44	23	.657	3½
Memphis	36	35	.507	13½
Denver	25	44	.362	23½
Texas	22	47	.319	28½

**Wednesday's Results**  
Kentucky 131, Carolina 128  
Indiana 122, Memphis 98  
Utah 139, Denver 106

**Only games scheduled**  
**Thursday's Games**  
New York vs. Pittsburgh at Floridians  
Kentucky at Floridians  
Only games scheduled  
**Friday's Games**  
Pittsburgh vs. Virginia at Norfolk  
Floridians at Kentucky  
Memphis vs. Carolina at Raleigh  
Denver at Texas  
Indiana at Utah

**Wednesday's College Basketball**  
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

**East**  
Providence 88, St. Bona. 56  
Assumption 93, Fairfield 67  
Villanova 90, Boston Coll. 77  
NYU 86, Boston U. 79  
Fairmont 71, W. Liberty 57  
Virginia 66, Pittsburgh 64  
Syracuse 60, Niagara 59  
Colgate 97, Ithaca 66  
Fairleigh Dickinson 82, St. Francis, N.Y. 49

**South**  
Marquette 96, Bowling Gr. 74  
No. Caro. 97, No. Caro. St. 81  
Tenn. St. 125, Ala. A&M 71

**Midwest**  
DePaul 84, Xavier, Ohio 76  
Oklahoma 95, Iowa St. 88  
Miami, Ohio 83, Dayton 53

**Far West**  
Air Force 81, Wyoming 71  
Seattle U. 109, Portland U. 71

**NAIA Playoffs**  
**Championships**  
**District 1**  
Cent. Wash. 62, Pacific Lutheran 59, Cent. Wash. wins best-of-3 series 2-1.

**District 6**  
UNC-Asheville 62, W. Caro. 61, two OTs

**District 7**  
E. New Mex. 80, W. New Mex. 75

**District 10**  
Sacred Heart 80, Friends 71

**District 13**  
St. Thomas Minn. 64, Augsburg 63

**District 15**  
NW Iowa 103, Wartburg 84

**District 18**  
Indiana, Pa. 67, Edinboro St. 60

**District 19**  
Mansfield St. 90, St. Mary's, Md. 80

**District 20**  
Ill. Wesleyan 85, E. Illinois 71

**District 29**  
Eliza. C. 113, Atl. Chris. 80

**District 30**  
Grambling 73, La. Coll. 59

## Marquette Closing on Win Streak

By TED MEIER  
Associated Press Sports Writer

Marquette is closing in on the third longest winning streak in major college basketball history.

The nationally second-ranked Warriors from Milwaukee made it 37 in a row by routing Bowling Green 96-74 Wednesday night. They now are only four shy of UCLA's streak of 41 that was snapped by Southern California 46-44 on March 8, 1969.

The all-time collegiate winning streak is San Francisco's 60 straight that was ended by Illinois in December, 1956. The second longest winning streak is 47 by UCLA, stopped by Houston 71-69 on Jan. 20, 1968.

Marquette started its streak by winning its last 12 games of the 1970 season. The warriors are unbeaten in 25 starts this year. They end their regular season against Xavier of Ohio on Saturday. They then face Miami of Ohio in the first round of the NCAA championship tournament on March 13.

A 24-1 burst, during which they ran off 22 straight points at the start of the second half, made it easy for Marquette behind Dean Meminger's 20 points.

Miami, on a winning streak of its own, made it 12 in a row by whipping the NIT-bound Dayton Flyers 83-53. The champions of the Mid-American Conference, now 19-4, were led by sophomore Larry Garloh with 25 points.

North Carolina, 12th-ranked in the Associated Press poll, erased a 10-point deficit in the first half and routed N.C. State 97-81. Dennis Wyuck threw in 25 points for the Tar Heels who drew out by 21 points in the second half to win easily.

Villanova, NCAA-bound, downed Boston College 90-77 behind 23 points from Howard Porter. Providence kept its NIT hopes alive by drubbing St. Bonaventure, already in the NIT, 88-56. Nehru Kino led the Friars with 27 points.

Larry Harris' basket in the last 15 seconds helped West Virginia edge Pitt 66-64. Oklahoma tripped Iowa State 95-88, Syracuse shaded Niagara 60-59, NYU overcame Boston U. 86-79 and DePaul downed Xavier of Ohio 84-76 behind Ed Goode's 31 points.

**Gaslite League Standings**  
Gaslite Rolling Pins league standings as of March 2:

	Won	Lost
Hope Star	46½	29½
Bramlett Oil	44½	31½
K.T.P.A.	40	36
Logan Grocery	37½	38½
H&M Grocery	35	41
Prescott Feed	27½	48½

Mildred Nelson has the high game of 168 and high series of 453.

**Gardens Not Interested Being Host**

TORONTO (AP) — The executive vice president of Maple Leaf Gardens said Wednesday the Gardens is not interested in being host to any home games of the Buffalo Braves of the National Basketball Association.

Harold Ballard said that the Gardens is not interested in putting out any of the attractions it now houses "for a ham-and-egg sport."

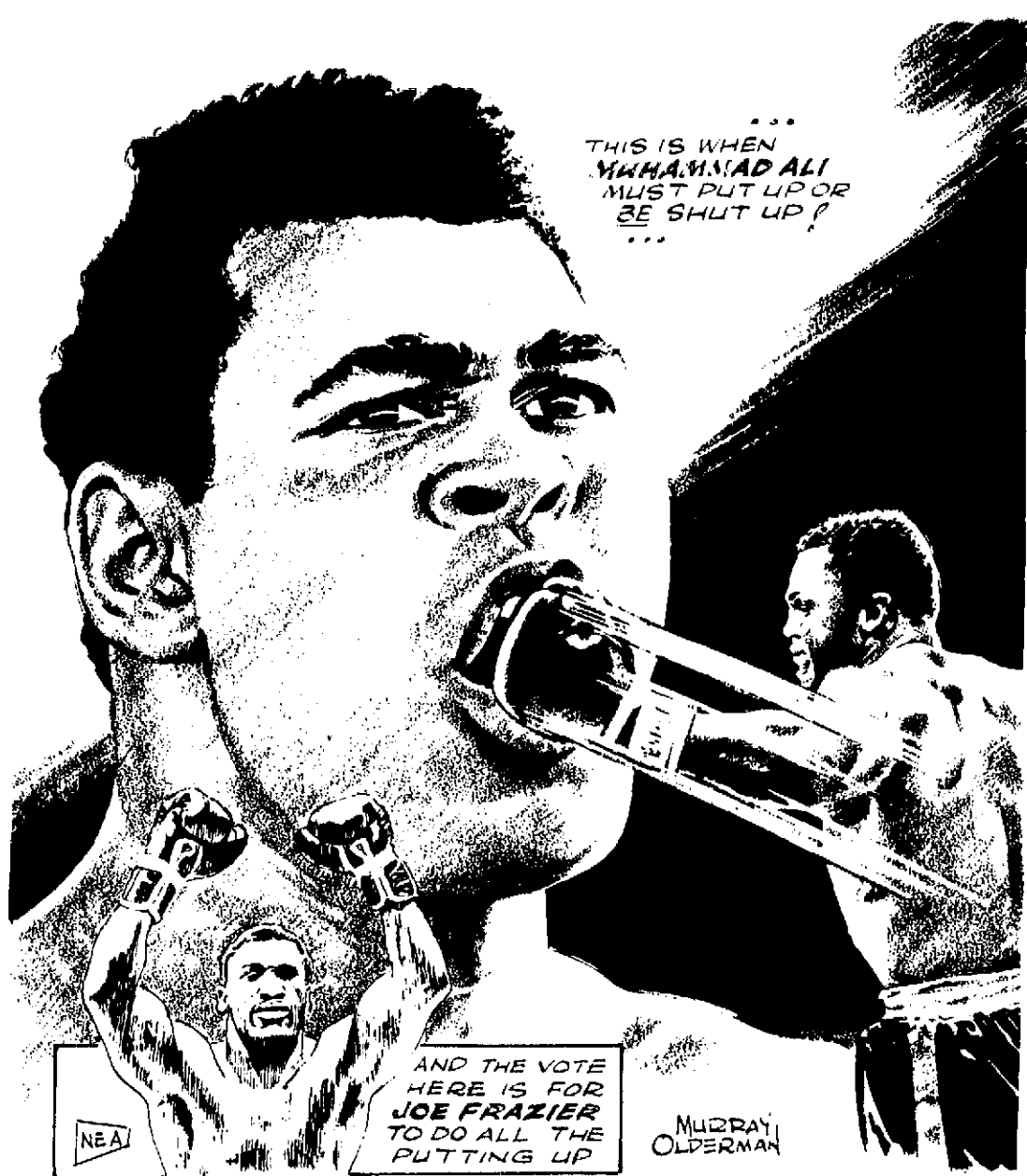
He was commenting on a statement earlier in the day by owner Paul Snyder of the Braves, who said he was negotiating with the Gardens to play four of the team's home games in Toronto next season and perhaps 20 in 1972-73.

Ballard said he had talked with Snyder and told him that

**Arkansas Basketball Scores**  
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

**State Tournaments**  
**Senior Boys**  
**Class A at Little Rock**  
**First Round**  
Green Forest 73, Osceola Rosenwald 66  
Ouachita 55, Clarendon 54  
Salem 42, Humnoke 36  
Taylor 78, Valley View 62  
**Class B at Little Rock**  
**Second Round**  
Desha Central 83, Greers Ferry Westside 61  
Emerson 65, Judsonia 55

## NO TIME FOR TALKING



## Frazier Gets Nod, Greek Calls It Even

NEW YORK (AP) — Jimmy "The Greek" Snyder, the nation's unofficial odds-maker, insists the Joe Frazier-Muhammad Ali heavyweight title fight Monday night is a "pick 'em" bet although book makers have made Frazier a 7-5 favorite.

"I called it an even fight from the beginning, and still think it is," the dapper public relations man from Las Vegas said to-day. "It's the people who have turned the odds in Frazier's favor."

"Frankly, the fight to me appears so close that I would be afraid to bet a plugged dime on it."

"It is strength against strength. Ali normally eats up smaller, bore-in fighters like Frazier. On the other hand, Frazier prefers a dancing, jabbing, back-peddaling target like Ali."

"Also, there are so many hidden factors that make the fight a hazardous bet."

Snyder, who will quote odds on the drop of a leaf or flight of a sparrow, said he doubted that the multi-million-dollar spectacle, which has aroused worldwide interest, will be a big betting show.

"I know, back home in Las Vegas, where you get a feel for such things, the action has been very slow," he said. "There is considerable man-to-man wagering on a small scale. I know of no heavy bets."

The Greek said the betting has been subdued by two factors — the economic cut-back and considerable doubts.

"There are no big gamblers any more—the big bettors such as they had in the 1920s," he added. "I suppose the biggest betting fights were those between Jack Dempsey and Gene Tunney, because passions ran so high."

"The second Max Schmeling-Joe Louis bout was another. That's where I made my debut. I bet \$900 on Louis and won \$500. People are afraid of this one."

Snyder said a bettor would have to assume that the fight is strictly on the square.

"There is too much money involved for it not to be honest," he said. "Besides, you can't think of larceny and still bet."

Jimmy, nattily attired in a black and white checkered jacket, attended Wednesday's physical examination of both fighters at Madison Square Garden.

Frazier, wearing a heavy beard, predicted he would stop Ali inside 10 rounds. Ali promised it would be "no contest." Then both returned to their camps—Frazier to Philadelphia and Ali to Miami—to continue workouts until they come back Saturday.

The Gardens would have no dates open for any Braves' games.

The Braves share Memorial Auditorium in Buffalo with the National Hockey League Sabres, and Snyder said he finds the arrangement unsatisfactory.

## Baseball Exhibition Baseball

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
Friday's Games  
Pittsburgh vs. Chicago, AL at Sarasota, Fla.  
New York, AL vs. Washington at Pompano Beach, Fla.  
Montreal vs. Atlanta at West Palm Beach, Fla.

San Francisco vs. Chicago, NL, at Scottsdale, Ariz.  
Tokyo Lotte Orions vs. Milwaukee at Tempe, Ariz.  
San Diego vs. Oakland at Yuma, Ariz.  
Boston vs. Houston at Cocoa, Fla.

Only games scheduled

## Coaches Will Meet Again at Raleigh

RALEIGH, N.C. (AP) — Bob Devaney, who coached Nebraska to a 17-12 victory over Charlie McClendon's LSU Tigers in the Orange Bowl, will meet his New Year's Night foe again in the June 26 Coaches All-American Games.

Devaney will coach the West while McClendon will be trying for a repeat of his East squad's 34-27 triumph in last summer's game at Lubbock, Tex.

John Ralston of Stanford and Benny Ellender of Tulane will assist Devaney and Alex Agase of Northwestern and Fran Curci of Miami, Fla., will aid McClendon, said Earle Edwards of North Carolina State, president of the sponsoring American Football Coaches Association.

**Kentucky's Hopes Are Still Alive**

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
Kentucky's hopes are slim and Indiana's are much brighter—and they both stayed alive.

Kentucky's Colonels, with only the slightest chance of catching front-running Virginia in the American Basketball Association's East Division, managed to crawl within eight games of the idle Squires Wednesday night with a 131-128 triumph over Carolina that dropped the Cougars into the cellar.

Indiana, meanwhile, only 3½ games back of first-place Utah in the West, kept pace with the leader by beating Memphis 122-98 while the Stars were shooting down Denver 139-106 in the only other ABA game.

In the National Basketball Association, Philadelphia whipped Portland 120-104, Boston ripped San Diego 128-113, Milwaukee flipped Los Angeles 112-97, Phoenix zipped Chicago 115-90, Cincinnati nipped Baltimore 133-132 in overtime and Atlanta topped San Francisco



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## Miscellaneous

**3. Lost**  
BLACK MULEY Headed cow. Solid white under back half of stomach, white inside of ears. Strayed from pasture three miles West of Hope, last October. \$50 Reward for information leading to recovery. Contact Johnnie Green, 777-4545.

**4. Notice**  
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## Employment

**8. Male or Female**  
SINGLE ATTRACTIVE, young women, 18-22 years. Free to work Saturdays. Newspaper soliciting. If interested please send name, phone number, and photograph (if possible) for personal interview to: H. L. Brock, P. O. Box 636, Lewisville, Arkansas 71845.

## Articles For Rent Or Lease

**15. Apartments-furnished**  
FURNISHED APARTMENTS. Adults only. No drinking. 300 Edgewood.

**FOR LEASE AT HILLCREST AND IMPERIAL—1 and 2 bedroom apartments.** Central air conditioning. Utilities paid. Some furnished, \$100 up, 777-3363, or 777-6731. Also, full equipped EFFICIENCY apartments available by the week.

**FURNISHED TWO ROOM apartment.** Bills paid. 723 West Third. Phone 777-2247, Brown's Apartments.

**16. Apartments-unfurnished**  
UNFURNISHED DUPLEX Apartment. Call 777-3467 or 777-6743. A. D. Middlebrooks.

**21. Houses-unfurnished**  
SMALL UNFURNISHED house on North Walnut. \$40 month. Call 777-3763.

## Services Offered

**27. Ambulance Service**  
24-HOUR AMBULANCE SERVICE. Call 777-3334. Hempstead County Ambulance Service, Inc. Air conditioned, oxygen equipped, two way radio. Certified courteous attendants.

**32. Breeding Services**  
STALLION SERVICE. Registered P.H.A. Palomino. Fee \$25. \$1.50 Day Mare Care. Phone 777-5625.

**38. Instruction**  
PAT BATES SCHOOL of Music, 414 South Main, 777-5431. Piano, organ, voice, string, instrument. Accept ages 4 and up. Special classes for the handicapped. Three qualified teachers.

**39. Job Printing**  
QUALITY COMMERCIAL Printing - Letterpress or Offset. ETTER PRINTING CO. 983-2634, Washington, Arkansas.

**PIONEER PRINTERS**, Village Shopping Center. Printing, office supplies, office furniture, 3M Photo copiers and supplies. 777-6747.

**40. Meat Processing**  
RALPH MONTGOMERY Custom Slaughtering, and meat processing. Phone 777-3808 or 777-6088.

**41. Miscellaneous**  
SUE WALKER'S Income Tax and Accounting Service, 110 South Main Street, in Hope. Phone 777-8184 or 777-4680.

**ROWE'S LEATHER.** Hand made saddles, saddle repair, chaps, bridles, blankets, spurs, belts, billfolds, holsters. 777-4666.

**INCOME TAX-SERVICE**, 1022 East Shover. Call Mrs. Thurman Ridling, 777-4526.

**FEDERAL AND STATE Income Tax Service.** Call 777-4738 after 5 p.m. Sue Taliaferro Gray.

**INCOME TAX & Bookkeeping Service.** Clifford Franks. Call 777-2210.

**41. Miscellaneous**  
EDMONSON PAINT & Body Shop. Ten miles North on Highway 29. Phone 777-2916.

**47. Rug Cleaning**  
GRASS MATS. Knock that dirt off before it tracks your house or store. See them at Ladies Specialty Shop.

**47. Rug Cleaning**  
CARPET AND BRAIDED rugs cleaned. For free estimation phone: 777-4670 or see Curtis Yates.

**FOR BETTER CLEANING**, to keep colors gleaming, use Blue Lustre carpet cleaner. Rent electric shampooer \$1. Home Furniture Co.

**52. Watch Repair**  
FINEST WATCH & Jewelry repair. All work guaranteed. Party napkins for all occasions, personalized, printed. Stewart's Jewelry Store, 208 South Main.

**55. Electrical Services**  
BUD'S ELECTRIC CO., Residential, Commercial, Industrial. Trouble calls appreciated, 777-2994 or 777-9970. Hansel Mitchell, owner.

**FOR ALL TYPES OF Electrical** wiring call William Burnett. No job to small. For prompt, efficient service call 777-4948.

**55. A. Appliance Repair**  
CALL LARRY REDLICH for all your appliance repair, including: air conditioning, refrigeration and heating, 777-5764.

**4. Notice**  
This auto air conditioner is a real bargain! You set slender styling, powerful performance, liberal warranty, and long lasting satisfaction.

**Cool Driving Low Price!**  
Plan ahead for your vacation!  
Come by today for free estimate!

**ARA** air conditioning  
**Rocket Service Station**  
600 E. Third 777-9954

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**57. General Construction**  
BACKHOE WORK, septic tanks, lines and etc. Call 777-5200 or 777-2906.

**58. Landscaping**  
DOZER WORK-HOUR or contract. Dirt work \$10 hour, land clearing \$11 hour. Minimum \$25. Philip Bobo, 777-4733 after 5 p.m.

**59. Miscellaneous**  
SINGER SEWING Machines Don't be misled! For the only authorized Singer Sewing Machine Sales & Service in the Hope area. Repossessed Zig Zag, \$5 per month. In town on Tuesdays, and Thursdays. Call McLain Cleaners, 777-6333.

**SINGER SEWING Machine** Service, also repair any make or model. Free estimates. Fabric Center, 777-5313.

**60. Painting Services**  
PAINTING AND PAPER hanging by the hour or contract. Free estimation. Clifton Whitten, phone 777-6494.

**71. A Used Cars — Used Trucks**

**HOME CURED MEAT**, Sugar cured and Hickory smoked Hams, bacon, sausage. Shipped anywhere in U.S.A. Russell's Curb Market, 902 W. Third, 777-9933.

**PLASTIC & METAL Bird** feeders. Also all kinds of bird feed. Delaney's Grocery, 202 East Second.

**79. Homes**  
THREE BEDROOM, two bath, like new, brick home. Central air and heat. Southland Heights. 777-4466.

**79. A. Mobile Homes**  
12X50' TWO BEDROOM mobile home. Introductory sales price \$3800. See at Hope Mobile Homes Sales. Phone 777-5326 or 777-5115.

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125 ACRES OF Pasture land, 29 head of cattle. Two poultry houses. Almost new J.D. diesel tractor and equipment. Dwelling house. Call 777-5416 from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

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**91. Produce**  
FRESH STRAWBERRIES, 4 pints for \$1. Watermelons, \$1.25 up to \$2.00. Russell's Curb Market, 902 West Third, 777-9933.

**93. Seed & Feed**  
BLACK LAND GRASS Hay for sale. 60c bale at farm. Call B. C. Webb, 983-2626, Washington.

**GOOD BREMUDA GRASS** Hay for sale. J. E. Lively, 777-4918.

**Burn Though Green**  
Ash, because its wood contains inflammable oleic acid, a fatty acid constituent of olive oil, burns well when green. The ash tree belongs to the olive family. Wood of the pine family also burns when green, due to resin in the wood.

**63. Plumbing Services**  
PONDER PLUMBING Company. Contractor, repair, heating, Sewer, etc. Day or night 777-5528 or 887-6878.

## Articles For Sale

**70. Business Places**  
6,200 SQUARE FEET Block Building suitable for any type business or warehouse. Priced for quick sale. Contact Robert A. Arnold, 886-2259.

**71. Cars or Trucks**  
WANTED—Late model used cars and pickup trucks. See James Gaines or J. B. Ingram, Jr. Phone 777-6100.

**74. Furniture**  
WALKER'S NEW & USED furniture, 777-6233, 213 S. Main Give highest prices for your furniture. Will sell-trade-or buy.

**78. Miscellaneous**  
ROSE BUSHES, Azaleas, Camellias, fruit trees, shrubs, bedding plants and pottery, Pecan trees and shade trees. E. H. Byers Nursery, Highway 29 South. Call 777-3543.

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## Wichita Crash Could Have Been Avoided

By JAMES R. POLK  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — A federal board said today the 31-death Wichita State University football disaster could have been avoided if the copilot of the chartered plane had realized only a minute sooner that he was flying into a dead-end canyon.

The National Transportation Safety Board made the finding in its official report on the Oct. 2 crash of an aging overweight propeller plane on the slopes of the Continental Divide west of Denver while the team was flying to Utah State.

The board said the copilot, Ronald G. Skipper, 35, Oklahoma City, had decided to fly through the Rocky Mountains "purely for sightseeing purposes." But it said he presumably spent no time studying the aerial charts he bought at a Denver stop.

The NTBSB fixed the official cause of the crash as the intentional flight through a mountain valley at such a low level that the plane could neither turn around safely nor climb over the steep mountain ridge that suddenly appeared in front of it.

The board quoted testimony by Skipper, who was flying the plane, that indicated he didn't know the ridge was the Continental Divide until after the crash. Skipper was one of nine crash survivors.

The NTBSB said if the crew had become concerned about clearing the terrain "less than one minute sooner," it would have been able to turn and go back. But another mountain blocked the view of the valley's sudden end at Loveland Pass until it was too late to escape the crash, the NTBSB said.

The board criticized the "virtual absence of flight planning" for the mountain route as being a significant factor in the crash. It also ruled the Martin 404 plane, making its first passenger flight after three years in "mothballs," was "an estimated 5,165 pounds overweight when it took off from Denver."

The NTBSB already has upheld the revocation of the commercial flying license of Golden Eagle Aviation, Inc., of Oklahoma City, which supplied the crew.

Skipper is president of Golden Eagle. Although he was listed as copilot for the plane, the NTBSB said it was he who made the decision to change the route and who was flying the plane up the narrow valley.

A second Wichita State plane reached Logan, Utah, safely after climbing north from Denver to Wyoming before turning westward to clear the Rockies at a safe height. Skipper's plane had been scheduled to follow this route also, the NTBSB said.

The tragedy sparked an investigation of loopholes in the way the Federal Aviation Administration regulates charter flights.

The NTBSB said "the numerous deficiencies, unsafe practices, and deviations from regulations, involved in this operation, are typical" of charter flights when no single participant admits responsibility for its safety.

It agreed with the FAA that the regulations should be tightened, but the board questioned whether current FAA proposals, aimed at the schools leasing the planes, would do the job.

## LEGAL NOTICE

IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF HEMPSTEAD COUNTY, ARKANSAS JOYCE WISE, PLAINTIFF VS. NO. 9766 HARVEY WISE, DEFENDANT

## WARNING ORDER

THE Defendant, Harvey Wise, is hereby warned to appear in this Court within thirty (30) days and answer the complaint of the Plaintiff, Joyce Wise, and upon his failure so to do, said complaint will be taken as confessed.

WITNESS my hand as Clerk of the Chancery Court of Hempstead County, Arkansas, and the Seal of said Court on this 10th day of February, 1971.

Jim Cole  
Clerk  
By Leona Cole  
D.C.

Feb. 11, 18, 25, March 4, 1971



DR. LAWRENCE E. LAMB

## Gonorrhea: No. 2 Contagious Disease

By Lawrence Lamb, M.D.  
Dear Dr. Lamb—I have INTENSE leg pains. I can walk only a short distance and I must rest. The pain leaves and I then proceed. Sometimes it comes from my ankles up and sometimes in the calves. I have NEVER smoked. What do you suggest?

Dear Reader—Your description sounds like a problem in circulation to the legs, usually involving the arteries. When the muscles are unable to get an increased amount of blood when you walk, the pain develops. By resting the muscles catch up on the amount of blood they need and you can walk again.

The proper treatment depends upon where the disease in the arteries is located and how extensive it is. If there is a generalized blockage of the arteries from the hip to the feet, a limited number of things can be done. Sometimes the blockage is localized in a region of the hip and pelvis. These localized areas of blockage can be corrected by surgery and the legs returned to normal function. A careful study of the arteries in the legs is necessary before anyone can tell you if you would benefit from surgery or not.

You can certainly have this problem without smoking. It is true that smokers are particularly prone to this form of circulation problem of the legs and it is one of the ways that smoking can cause disability.

You probably know that the most common contagious disease in the United States is the common cold, but did you know that gonorrhea is now No. 2? That's right. It is exceeded only by the common cold. The disease is essentially out of control and the factors leading to this sudden development include ignorance, false modesty and overconfidence. This is a fine legacy for your younger generation!

If this is not the time for commonsense information to replace ignorance and bigotry—WHEN? Both the medical profession and the community leaders have failed to face the issue squarely—and that is why gonorrhea is No. 2.

(NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)

Please send your questions and comments to Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D., in care of this paper. While Dr. Lamb cannot answer individual letters, he will answer letters of general interest in future columns.

## WIN AT BRIDGE

## You Can't Fool Old Abe

**NORTH** 4  
♦ 43  
♥ AKQ  
♦ QJ32  
♣ AK74

**WEST**  
♦ KJ1062  
♥ 75  
♦ 1098  
♣ 862

**EAST**  
♦ 985  
♥ 9432  
♦ 54  
♣ Q1095

**SOUTH (D)**  
♦ AQ7  
♥ J1086  
♦ AK76  
♣ J3

North-South vulnerable  
West North East South  
Pass 6 N.T. Pass Pass  
Pass  
Opening lead—♦ 10

Douglas had started with the king of spades and four clubs to the queen.

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## ♥-CARD Sense-♥

The bidding has been:  
West North East South  
1♥ 1♣ 1♠ 2♥  
Pass 3♦ Pass 3♠  
Pass 4♠ Pass ?

You, South, hold:  
♦ KQ732 ♥ 7 ♦ K98 ♣ K1043

What do you do now?  
A—Bid four no-trump. You are willing to play a slam if your partner holds three aces since he almost surely has a diamond suit of at least five cards.

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Answer Tomorrow

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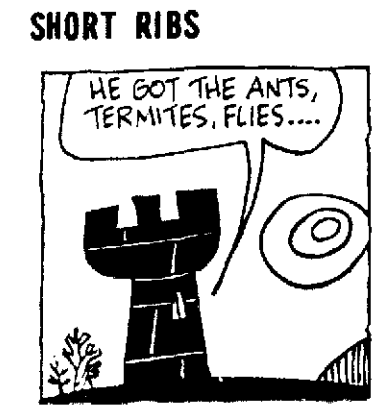
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## U.S. Indoor Tennis Pairings

HAMPTON, Va. (AP) — Top-seeded Ilie Nastase of Romania goes against unseeded Richard Russell of Jamaica and fourth-seeded Tomas Koch of Brazil plays Milan Holecsek of Czechoslovakia today in the second round of the U.S. Indoor Tennis Championships.

In other matches involving seeded players, Jan Kodes of Czechoslovakia, the tournament's sixth-ranked player, meets Edison Mandarino of Brazil, and eighth-seeded Manuel Orantes of Spain is paired against Ion Tiriac of Romania. Frank Froehling III of Fort Lauderdale, Fla., an unseeded player here and ranked 17th in the United States, highlighted Wednesday's action with a surprise 6-1, 6-4 victory over Tom Gorman of Seattle, Wash., the tournament's seventh-seeded player.

Froehling, 27, is making a comeback after a five-year absence from the tournament circuit.

He made quick work of the rising Gorman, taking the match in just 57 minutes. Clark Graebner of New York, seeded No. 2, swept by Marty Mulligan of Italy in other action Wednesday, 6-4, 6-2, and No. 3 Zeljko Franulovic of Yugoslavia overcame pesky 18-year-old Byron Bertram of South Africa, two-time Wimbledon junior champ, 4-6, 7-5, 6-3.

In doubles play, the top-seeded team of Nastase and Tiriac defeated Holecsek and Valdemir Zednick of Czechoslovakia 6-0, 6-2.

Graebner and Koch, the second-seeded twosome, edged Tom Edlefsen and Mike Belkin, 6-4, 7-6.

## Without West, Lakers Lose to Milwaukee

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
...And the beat goes on. And this time it was Los Angeles' time to get beaten. And now only a pair of also-rans can keep the Bucks out of the books. Lew Alcindor, who has been leading Milwaukee through streak after streak this season as the National Basketball Association's scoring leader, got only 15 points—half his average—against Los Angeles Wednesday night.

But the Lakers had to play without their scoring leader, Jerry West—and probably won't get him back until next season—and that enabled the Bucks to mark up their 17th consecutive triumph, 112-97.

It put them one shy of the league record set a year ago by the champion New York Knicks—and the Bucks should have no trouble surpassing it.

They play Buffalo's first-year Braves Thursday night and the Detroit Pistons on Friday. Milwaukee has lost only once in eight games against the two teams, last in their respective divisions.

In other NBA games Philadelphia flattened Portland 120-104, Boston bombed San Diego 128-113, Cincinnati squeezed by Baltimore 133-132 in overtime, Phoenix flipped Chicago 115-90 and Atlanta turned back San Francisco 109-105.

In the American Basketball Association Kentucky outlasted Carolina 131-108, Indiana mauled Memphis 122-98 and Utah slammed Denver 139-106.

Veteran Wilt Chamberlain easily outplayed Alcindor, holding his young foe to his lowest output of the season. Chamberlain also hit 24 points. Los Angeles teammate Gail Goodrich had 25. Oscar Robertson of Milwaukee also had 24.

But the Lakers couldn't keep up with the Bucks without West, last year's NBA scoring champ and the club's second superstar to be sidelined. Elgin Baylor has been out most of the season with a torn Achilles tendon and West was knocked out of action or at least six weeks—the NBA playoffs begin within a month—with torn right knee cartilage during Tuesday night's game at Buffalo.

Philadelphia led just 54-52 at the half before the defense tightened, enabling the 76ers to pull away from the Trail Blazers and stay 2½ games ahead of Boston in the race for the second playoff spot in the Atlantic Division. Archie Clark of Philly topped all scorers with 28 points.

Judo White's 34 points enabled

the Celtics to pull away from San Diego in the third period after the Rockets, paced by Elvin Hayes' game-high 35 points—31 of them in the first half—trailed only 66-62 at the intermission.

Cincinnati led by as many as 19 points in the second half before the Bullets rallied to tie it at 120-120 after regulation time. Then the Royals went ahead to stay as Sam Lacey and Tom Van Arsdale scored 23 apiece and Norm Van Lier added 22. Fred Carter scored 33 for Baltimore, which failed to clinch the Central Division crown.

Phoenix scored the first nine points of the third period en route to closing within half a game of the Bulls in the scramble for the runner-up spot behind Milwaukee in the Midwest Division. Clem Haskins led the Suns' surge and wound up with 28 points.

Atlanta scored six straight points and snapped a 102-102 tie with San Francisco. Pete Maravich sparked the spurt with a pair of baskets and a free throw in the final three minutes as the Hawks overcame an early 14-point deficit.

Maravich topped Atlanta with 33 points while Nate Thurmond was high for the Warriors with 25.

## Pop Winning Over Son by Slim Margin

NEW YORK (AP) — Little Brad MacGregor and his father, Bruce, are playing a long distance game of Can You Top This and right now, pop is winning. Barely.

The senior MacGregor fired three goals and assisted on two others Wednesday night leading the New York Rangers to an 8-1 National Hockey League romp over the California Golden Seals and restored the hockey success in the family to its proper perspective.

Elsewhere in the NHL Wednesday night, Pittsburgh shut out Montreal 4-0, Toronto topped Vancouver 3-1, Chicago defeated St. Louis 5-1 and Buffalo and Los Angeles played a 3-3 tie.

The five scoring points gave MacGregor 11 points in his last five games—all of them—New York victories. And it gave 6-year-old Brad something to shoot for when he takes the ice in his pee wee hockey league this weekend.

"I was talking to him on the phone the other night," said the senior MacGregor, who left his family behind in Windsor, Ont., when he was traded from Detroit to New York last month. "He told me he had a hat trick last Saturday. I told him I had to get going. That put him ahead of me in goals."

So MacGregor took three shots against California's Gary Smith Wednesday and all of them went in, increasing his season's goal total to 11.

Center Pete Stenkowski, like MacGregor a Ranger reclamation project from Detroit, also had five points with two goals and three assists as New York enjoyed its biggest scoring night of the season.

The other Ranger goals were scored by Walt Tkaczuk, who also had a pair of assists, Dave Balon, who had his 35th of the season, and rookie defenseman Andre Dupont, who had his first ever in the NHL.

Pittsburgh ended Montreal's eight-game unbeaten streak on goalie Les Binkley's second shutout of the season.

Jean Pronovost had two goals and an assist for the Penguins, who moved within three points of idle Minnesota and Philadelphia, who are tied for third place in the West Division.

Bryan Hextall and Dunc McCallum scored the other Pittsburgh goals.

Toronto bunched third-period goals by Paul Henderson, Bill MacMillan and George Armstrong to whip Vancouver. Until the final 20 minutes, the Canucks behind goalie Dunc Wilson, led 1-0 on Rosaire Palement's goal.

Chicago's Hull brothers—Bobby and Dennis—each had a goal as the Black Hawks thumped St. Louis.

Bobby's 550th career goal and 40th this season got the Hawks off in front after only 18 seconds of play. Dennis smashed a 50-foot slapper for his 35th goal midway through the final period. Other Hawk goals went to Danny O'Shea, Stan Mikita and Jim Pappin.

The victory gave the Hawks a fat 22-point bulge over the Blues at the top of the NHL's West Division.

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## Court Docket

**CITY DOCKET**  
Wayne B. Emmons, George D. Weaver, Drunkenness, Plea guilty, fined \$16.50

Thomas Cartledge, James W. McClure, Ira Lee West, Drunkenness, Forfeited \$16.50 cash bond

Harley W. Martin, No driver's license, Plea guilty, fined \$11.50

Danny W. Tyler, No driver's license, Forfeited \$11.50 cash bond

John Harper, Dorsey Palmore, No driver's license, Forfeited \$16.50 cash bond

Odell Guiley, Driving while intoxicated, Plea guilty, fined \$106.50 and 1 day in jail

Harley W. Martin, No vehicle license, Fined \$16.50 on plea of nolo contendere

Rebecca A. Riner, Passing on yellow line, Forfeited \$11.50 cash bond

Terry D. Mann, Improper muffler on vehicle, Forfeited \$16.50 cash bond

Brenda Standokes, Improper driving, Forfeited \$16.50 cash bond

Lee D. Little, Following too close, Plea of not guilty; tried, found guilty, fined \$11.50; Notice of appeal

Kenneth Madlock, Running stop sign, Forfeited \$11.50 cash bond

Andrew Bishop, Expired chauffeur's license, Plea of not guilty, fined \$16.50

Bill W. Browning, Failure to yield right of way, Tried on plea of not guilty; found guilty, assessed a fine of \$16.50; Fine and cost suspended

Terry D. Mann, Lyman Page, Hazardous driving, Forfeited \$16.50 cash bond

Fred Dudley, Disturbing the peace, Plea of guilty, fined \$31.50

Troy Lee Bishop, Larry Lollis, Disturbing the peace, Tried on plea of not guilty; found guilty; passed for sentence

Elisha Rankins, Assault & Battery, Forfeited \$16.50 cash bond

John H. Lewis, Carrying concealed weapon, Plea of guilty; fined \$106.50

Ed Hightower, Gaming, Forfeited \$16.50 cash bond

Millard Purifoy, Shop Lifting, Tried on plea of not guilty; found guilty, fined \$31.50; notice of appeal

John D. Nelson, Transporting over legal amount of taxed beer for purpose of sale, Plea of guilty, fined \$156.50

William Dyson, Jr., Escape, Forfeited \$16.50 cash bond

Kenneth Eugene Zantrell, Log Book not current, Forfeited \$56.50 cash bond

Fred Dudley, Failure to answer summons, Plea guilty, fined \$28.50

Dwight Arnold Camp, Drunkenness, Dismissed

**STATE DOCKET**  
Ira W. Green, Samuel Miller, Charles W. Stuart, Drunkenness, Forfeited \$31.15 cash bond

Frank T. Poston, No driver's license, Plea of guilty, fined \$31.15, fine and cost suspended

Willie Combs, Flavius Rowe, Jr., No driver's license, Forfeited \$26.15 cash bond

Kenneth D. Beasley, Charles E. Brown, Willie Combs, Willie B. Johnson, Frank T. Poston, Driving while intoxicated, Plea guilty, fined \$136.15 and 1 day in jail

William H. Grammer, III, Glyndell Privitt, Speeding, Forfeited \$26.15 cash bond

Loose Rowe, Parking on high way, Forfeited \$26.15 cash bond

White Combs, No vehicle license, Forfeited \$31.15 cash bond

Alvin Manuel Ray, Permitting unauthorized driver to drive, fined \$31.15

William J. Moore, Reckless driving, Forfeited \$36.15 cash bond

## Television Logs Thursday

6:00 Americans From Africa 2	Hollywood Squares 4-6
Truth Or Consequences 3	That Girl 7
News 4-6-7-11-12	Love Of Life 11-12
6:30 Arkansas Game And Fish 2	Bewitched 3-7
Alias Smith And Jones 3-7	Jeopardy 4-6
Flip Wilson 4-6	Where The Heart Is 11-12
Family Affair 11-12	11:25 CBS News 11-12
7:00 Folk Guitar 2	11:30 News, Weather 3
Jim Nabors 11-12	Who, What Or Where 4-6
7:30 Julia Child 2	World Apart 7
Bewitched 3-7	Search For Tomorrow 11-12
Ironsides 4-6	11:55 NBC News 4-6

8:00 Southern Perspective 2	Afternoon
Make Room For Granddaddy 3-7	12:00 All My Children 3
Movie 11	Little Rock Today 4
"Rio Bravo" Movie 12	News 6-12
"None But the Brave" 3-7	Honeymooners 7
8:30 Dan August 4-6	Eye On Arkansas 11
Adam-12 2	12:30 Let's Make A Deal 3-7
9:00 Turned On Crisis 4-6	Words And Music 6
Dean Martin 4-6	As The World Turns 11-12
9:30 This Is Your Life 3	12:50 Lucille Rivers 4
Legislative Report 7	1:00 Newlywed Game 3-7
10:00 News 3-4-6-7-12	Days Of Our Lives 4-6
10:30 Johnny Carson 4-6	Love Is A Many-Splendored Thing 11-12
Dick Cavett 7	1:30 Dating Game 3-7
News, Weather 11	Doctors 4-6
Merv Griffin 12	Guiding Light 11-12
10:35 Ark-La-Tex Sportsman 3	2:00 General Hospital 3-7
10:45 Movie 3	Another World-Bay City 4-6
"The Doomsday Flight" 11	3:00 Secret Storm 11-12
11:00 Arkansas Sportsman 11	2:30 One Life To Live 3-7
11:30 Movie 11	Bright Promise 4-6
"The House of Fear" 3	Edge Of Night 11-12
12:30 Dick Cavett 3	3:00 Dark Shadows 3-7

<b>Friday Morning</b>	3:30 Kaleidoscope Movie 2
6:20 Sunrise Semester 12	Movie "The Last Man on Earth" 3
6:30 Texarkana College Sunrise Semester 6	Flipper 6
6:40 Morning Devotional 6	Bozo 7
6:45 RFD 4	Judd 11
R.F.D. "6" 6	Daktari 12
6:50 Your Pastor 12	4:00 Sesame Street 2
6:55 Morning Devotional 3-4	Flintstones 4
7:00 Colorful World 3	Lassie 6
Today 4-6	4:30 Wagon Train 4
Bozo's Big Top 7	Daniel Boone 6
CBS News 11-12	Perry Mason 11-12
7:20 Arkansas A.M. 11	Misterogers 2
7:30 Bozo And His Friends 3	ABC News 3-7
8:00 Zane Grey 7	5:30 What's New 2
Captain Kangaroo 11-12	News, Weather 3
8:15 Movie 3	NBC News 4-6
"Beyond the Forest" 7	Truth Or Consequences 7
8:30 This Morning 4	CBS News 11-12
9:00 Romper Room 4	<b>Night</b>
Dinah Shore Movie—6	6:00 Highway Safety 2
To Be Announced 7	Truth Or Consequences 3
Lucille Ball 11-12	News 4-6-7-11-12
9:30 Concentration 4-6	Economics 2
Hillbillies 11-12	Brady Bunch 3-7
9:50 Fashions In Sewing 3	High Chaparral 4-6
10:00 Film 4	Interns 11-12
Sale Of The Century 4-6	7:00 TV High School 2
Family Affair 11-12	Nanny 3-7
10:30 That Girl 3	7:30 Kukla, Fran And Ollie 2

Partridge Family 3-7	Movie "The Biggest Bundle of Them All" 12
Name Of The Game 4-6	Movie "Charade" 2
Andy Griffith 11-12	8:30 Book Beat 2
8:00 Washington Review 2	Odd Couple 3-7
That Girl 3-7	9:00 Net Playhouse 2
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# Students of AM&N Protest Merger

LITTLE ROCK (AP) —About 200 Negro students from Arkansas AM&N College at Pine Bluff converged on the state Capitol Wednesday to protest a bill that would merge AM&N with the University of Arkansas.

Dr. Lawrence Davis, president of AM&N, also was at the Capitol and he told newsmen he was opposed to the bill.

Gov. Dale Bumpers told Davis and the students that he did not want "to force anything down your throat."

The governor said the merger bill passed Tuesday by the House was not an administration measure and that he had discouraged its introduction.

Asked later if he would veto the bill if it was passed by the Senate, Bumpers said he would want both boards to be agreeable to the measure. He gave the same answer several times when asked if he would veto the measure.

Davis said that Rep. Boyce Alford of Pine Bluff, sponsor of the bill, had never talked with him about the proposal. Alford had said Tuesday that Davis favored the merger.

Davis said he did not categorically oppose a merger with UA, but there should be time to talk about how to go about it and work out solutions to problems that arise in a merger instead of rushing into something like this.

Bumpers told the students he would do all he could to help AM&N, saying, "I know your concern about AM&N and I know what the school means to you."

Davis said he would like a number of safeguards written into the bill if there is a merger. One is that the "mission" of the college to provide an education for poor students be preserved. Another condition Davis named was an assurance of a black administration at the school until such time that race no longer is a factor in the selection of administrators for any of the state-supported colleges and universities.

Davis said a merger now would "not give blacks a voice in the determination of the college's policy because there are no blacks on the UA Board of Trustees. Under the bill, the AM&N board would be abolished."

## Committee Gets Proposed Amendments

By JOHN CHADWICK  
Associated Press Writer  
WASHINGTON (AP) — A proposed constitutional amendment to lower the voting age to 18 in all elections went before the Senate Judiciary Committee today with sponsors hoping for quick approval.

They say 86 senators favor the measure.

Democratic Leader Mike Mansfield said if the amendment is approved by the committee it might be the first legislation before the Senate once the battle over the filibuster rule is ended.

The House Judiciary Committee approved the proposed amendment 32 to 2 Tuesday. Chairman Emanuel Celler, D-N.Y., said it could be ratified by the states in time to apply to the 1972 elections if Congress acts quickly.

A constitutional amendment requires approval by a two-thirds majority in the House and the Senate and ratification by the legislatures of three-fourths of the states.

Congress last year lowered the voting age to 18 in all elections, but the Supreme Court upheld the constitutionality of the measure only for federal elections.

The court ruled Congress had no power to fix the voting age for state and local elections.

Three states, Alaska, Georgia and Kentucky, now permit 18-year-olds to vote.

Unless the proposed constitutional amendment is approved, separate dual-age systems of registration and voting will have to be established in all other states for next year's elections.

State officials, in a survey conducted by a Senate subcommittee on constitutional amendments, said this could cause major confusion and cost an estimated \$10 million to \$20 million.

The Judiciary subcommittee approved the 18-year-old vote amendment Tuesday.

## Letters To The Editor

This your newspaper. Write to it. Address letters to: Editor The Star, P.O. Box 648, Hope, Ark. 71801.

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### FOR MILLAGE HIKE

Editor The Star: I am firmly FOR the millage increase in Hope for the following reasons:

1. As a teacher, I know an increase in salaries would draw more young teachers, particularly men who are needed, into the community to stay.

2. I believe that the education provided in Hope could be broadened to include courses geared for the non-college-bound student.

3. I believe it worth your money to expand the school physical plant and to purchase new equipment for teachers and students.

4. I know it is necessary to meet North Central Association accreditation to qualify our graduates for college. This means Hope must offer a broad education, including a sound fine arts program.

This program was just begun this fall and as an art teacher, I know it takes money. I also believe that the expressions of students in art and music are necessary for a well-balanced young person.

As for the alternative of reassessment, it is insanely naive to believe that an unfulfilled promise made nearly two years ago will be fulfilled now.

I received a good education in the Hope schools, but that was almost five years ago. To keep pace with the changes in our world, we must change the education we provide our young.

You have an excellent school administration. I know; I worked under them and beside them last summer. You have good students as evidenced by their interest in this election, particularly the Hope Hi-Lights staff.

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## Violence in Pakistan Has Subsided

By ARNOLD ZEITLIN  
Associated Press Writer  
Dacca, East Pakistan (AP) — Violence and tension brought on by postponement of Pakistan's constitutional assembly subsided today in Dacca, and East Pakistan's political leader promised to control demonstrations.

Sheik Mujibur Rahman, head of the Awami League, urged that government troops called out Tuesday to quell the mobs return to their barracks.

"Bengalis know how to maintain peace without the army," Mujibur told a rally of more than 100,000 East Pakistanis today. "Those who loot and burn are enemies of the people. I have called my volunteers to rise and resist them."

The crowd roared its defiance of domination by West Pakistan, shouting "Independent East Pakistan!"

Mujibur had called the meeting to mourn those who died in clashes with police and troops Tuesday and Wednesday. There were reports that at least 16 persons were killed and another 80 were injured, but only two deaths were confirmed.

The rally was another protest against postponement by the military government of the assembly, where the Awami League won a majority in January's elections. It had been scheduled to open Wednesday to draft a constitution for return to civilian rule.

After Mujibur's speech, the crowd dispersed quickly and quietly. But the general strike called by the sheik for the rest of the week continued.

## PX Reforms Slow But Developing

By LAWRENCE L. KNUTSON  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Abraham A. Ribicoff says the giant, worldwide Army-Air Force PX system—"a wide-open cookie jar in the store no one was minding"—is slowly moving toward reform.

The Connecticut Democrat said in an interview a major overhaul of the military's handling of the billions of dollars involved in PX operations is needed and Congress should oversee the job directly.

Ribicoff's permanent investigation subcommittee has heard testimony of major scandals in the Post Exchange system, a \$6 billion-a-year business involving GI stores and clubs overseas.

Ribicoff said Maj. Gen. William B. Campbell, new chief of the Army-Air Force Exchange System, visited him Wednesday and told him of plans to clamp tighter controls over PX procurement and auditing and to "lay down the law" to PX suppliers.

Witnesses told Ribicoff's subcommittee PX officials, some of them still part of the system, accepted luxurious, rent-free villas in Saigon from a prominent supplier whose juke boxes were later placed in PXs and snack bars all over Vietnam.

In testimony Wednesday, Senate investigators accused the vendor, William J. Crum, of conspiring with a sergeant and a one-star general to control the 30 noncommissioned officers' clubs at Long Binh, headquarters of the U.S. Army in Vietnam.

A witness, Army Maj. Clement St. Martin, former club officer at Long Binh, said Brig. Gen. Earl Cole, quashed his investigation of alleged illegal activities in the club and caused his transfer to duty with Army Engineers.

St. Martin said his three-month experience as club officer began when the club's top sergeant sent a Vietnamese go-go girl to his hotel room for the night and ended with a direct threat from the Army's top enlisted man.

In between, St. Martin testified, he developed evidence indicating club funds were paid illegally in dollars to vendors who used them to make profits in the currency black market.

He eventually heard that Crum had put a price on his head and, he testified, Sgt. Major of the Army William O. Wooldridge, then the Army's top-ranked enlisted man, told him he was aware the major had been "snooping" and asked, pointedly, "Don't you know you can get hurt?"

Wooldridge recently was indicted with several others on charges of conspiracy to defraud the club system in Vietnam.

Cole was relieved from an important command in Europe, stripped of a medal, reduced in rank to colonel and ordered to retire from the Army.

## 2-Year Senior Colleges Are Spawned

By WILLIAM J. WAUGH  
AP Education Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The phenomenal growth of the nation's two-year junior or community colleges is spawning a new breed of higher education institution: the two-year senior college.

Florida is a pioneer in the field but interviews with educators at a convention here disclosed that both private and public institutions in New York, Pennsylvania, Illinois, Texas, Michigan and California are experimenting with the concept.

Open only to college students with junior or senior standing, Florida has Florida-Atlantic at Boca Raton, with 6,000 students, and University of Florida West at Pensacola with 3,500 students. Similar schools, named Florida International at Miami and University of Florida North in Jacksonville, are scheduled to open in the fall of 1972.

Jack G. Guistwhite, director of inter-institutional relations at Florida-Atlantic, said in an interview at the American Association of Junior College convention that 65 to 70 per cent of the senior college students are junior college graduates.

Growth of the junior colleges has been dramatic. In 1930, according to the Carnegie Commission on Higher Education,

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measure alive by approving a motion to erase the vote by which the bill had failed to pass at that time.

The discount measure failed in the House on a vote of 49-31. The original tally showed a vote of 54-31, enough for passage, but a poll of the House resulted in five of the favorable votes being discarded.

The House adopted an amendment to the bill to give merchants a reduction in the sales tax they turn over to the state for bad debts. Rep. P. K. Holmes of Newport sponsored the amendment, which Bumpers opposes and says is designed to kill the bill.

The administration's bill to give cities of the first class control over their local affairs was approved by the House 67-5. The bill would grant to the cities all powers not specifically prohibited by the General Assembly, including authority to levy an income tax if approved in a special local election. The bill goes to the Senate.

The Senate, meanwhile, fatally amended the administration's bill to place a ceiling on political campaign expenditures. Sen. W. D. Moore Jr. of El Dorado sponsored the amendment, which removed from the bill a section that said money spent with advertising media on behalf of a candidate would count as part of the candidate's total expenditure.

After the amendment was adopted on a voice vote, the bill's sponsor, Sen. Ben Allen of Little Rock, said the bill was dead as far as he was concerned. Moore had urged support for the amendment by warning that a candidate's foes could spend money in his behalf in a deliberate attempt to exceed the legal limit, thereby subjecting him to the prospect of being disqualified from office.

The House finished legislative action on the proposed \$300 million highway construction bond issue by concurring in a Senate amendment requiring periodic reports to the governor and legislature on all expenditures for projects financed by the bonds.

In other actions Wednesday, the House:

— Defeated 30-15 but kept alive a bill that would prohibit construction of a dam on the Saline River. The Army Corps of Engineers has under consideration a plan to dam the river two miles north of Benton.

— Approved 72-0 a bill by Rep. Jim Linder of West Helena to prohibit the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board from issuing mixed-drink permits to private clubs that fail to permit inspection by legislative auditors of the club books.

— Defeated 47-24 a bill to empower the governor to appoint to the Legislative Council one House member and one Senate member, a power governors enjoyed before legislators struck it during the tenure of former Gov. Winthrop Rockefeller.

The Senate also:

— Approved 31-0 the administration's bill to make Arkansas part of an interstate compact on detainers to facilities speedy trial or release of convicts imprisoned while other charges are pending against them.

— Approved on a voice vote a resolution directing that the Legislative Council study possible industries to be implemented in the state's prisons.

— Defeated 10-19 a bill by Sen. Nick Wilson of Pocatontas to prohibit after Jan. 1, 1973, private law practice by elected prosecuting attorneys.

there were less than 200,000 students enrolled in two-year schools. By 1970 enrollment had grown to 2 million. Educators estimate that in this decade junior college enrollment will double.

Most junior colleges offer comprehensive programs covering academic, occupational and general education programs. The Carnegie Commission in its study endorsed this type of school and said they "should remain two-year institutions and not expect to become four-year or graduate institutions."

Dr. Peter Masiko, president of Miami-Dade Junior College, one of the nation's largest two-year schools with 34,000 fulltime students, said the junior college can give "better quality teaching, better quality counseling and guidance to the beginning student" than the traditional four-year undergraduate college.

Dr. John A. Berrier, president of Lehigh Community College near Allentown, Pa., agreed.



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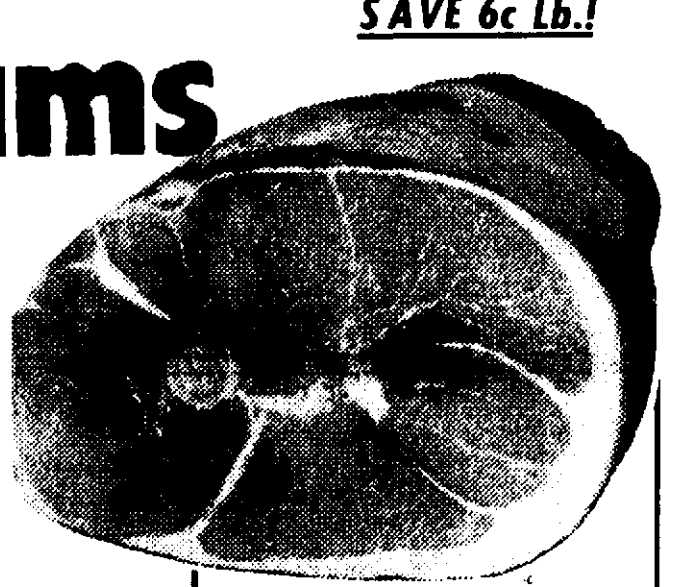
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